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To our establishment by such means as our artist depicts would not need such force a second time.

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For the next 30 Days all Summer Goods will be sold LOWER THAN YOU EVER SAW THEM.

SPECIAL SALE of Summer Coats and Vests and Straw Hats for the next 10 days at 25 Per Cent. Off, for Cash Only.

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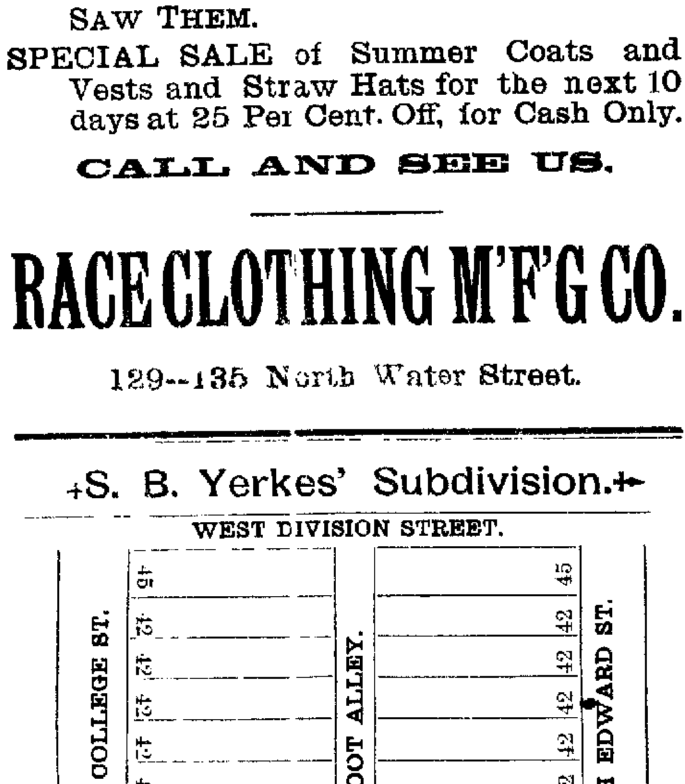

This Addition, located north of the city, on Edward and College streets, contains some of the most beautiful lots in the city—being on North Edward Street Car Line, and the town is rapidly building in this direction.

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WE SING THE PRAISE
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FOR IT HAS STOOD THE TEST,
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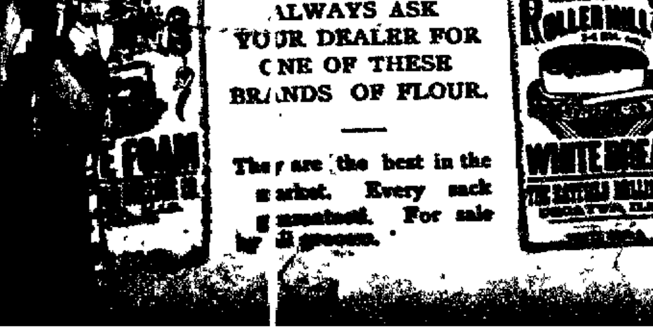

If You Want Good Bread
ALWAYS ASK
YOUR DEALER FOR
ONE OF THESE
BRANDS OF FLOUR.

They are the best in the market. Every sack guaranteed. For sale by all grocers.

BURNED TO A CRISP.

Dreadful Accident on the Ohio Valley Railroad.

FRIGHTFUL FATE OF THE VICTIMS.

Caught in the Debris and Heads and Shoulders Burned off to the Lower Part of the Body—A Big Funeral Pyre.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., July 26.—Freight train No. 9, south-bound, on the Ohio Valley railway, was wrecked yesterday morning at 9:40 o'clock near Morganfield, Ky., about forty miles south of this city.

The killed are:

Frank Threkeld, fireman, Hatfield, Ind

Frederick Vandorn, engineer, Henderson, Ky.

William Davis, head barkeman, Hopkinsville, Ky

Davis was thrown from the cars to the ground, and caught in the debris. When the cars took fire he was still pinioned under a freight car and was burned into an almost unrecognizable mass.

Threkeld was caught in the engine and crushed to death in an instant.

Engineer Vandorn's body was burned to a crisp

The wreck was caused by the engine striking a cow. The engine was thrown from the track and six cars behind were piled upon top of it. The fire in the engine ignited the mass of freight cars, and before long it had developed into a big blaze

The bodies of two of the unfortunate victims were dug out from under a car of wheat, both of their heads and shoulders were burned off to the lower part of the body. The bodies were taken to Morganfield, where hundreds of people viewed their horribly mutilated remains

A wrecking train was dispatched to the scene, and regular traffic was resumed at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The monetary loss is estimated at $25,000.

THEY MUST NOT LAND.

Shiploads of Italian Emigrants from Cholera-Infected Naples.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—Surgeon-General Wyman has received the following cable dispatch from Assistant Surgeon G. B. Young, of the Marine Hospital service, stationed at Naples

> Cholera prevails Condition is worse. A large number of emigrants are preparing for America Isolation on shore is impossible Authorities refuse to permit detention on board Passengers are transferred from train and ship and isolation on the way imperfect

To this dispatch Dr. Wyman has sent the following answer

> Refuse bill of health unless all regulations are complied with Inform companies full fine will be imposed without the bill

So long as cholera or other contagious or infectious epidemic disease prevails in Naples or its vicinity, the Marine hospital service will not permit emigrants from that port to land in this country unless steamship companies comply with the regulations for safety issued by the secretary of the treasury As these regulations require the erection of barracks or houses in which intending emigrants must be maintained for five days prior to sailing and the disinfection of clothing and effects of emigrants, it is not probable that the United States will have any immigrants from Naples for some time to come.

Speaking of the matter to-day, Dr. Wyman said: "The facilities for carrying out the treasury regulations do not exist at Naples and the bills of health, therefore, can not be granted and ships can not bring immigrants."

Distress in Colorado.

DENVER, Col., July 26.—Up to date over 3,700 men have registered as out of employment and the list is steadily increasing. Means are being taken to furnish employment and provide food for the hungry and destitute Dean Peck and Rev. Thomas Uzzell, who have been foremost in this work, announce that on account of the scarcity of relief funds, they can not continue to feed the hungry longer than to-day.

Meetings are held nightly to provide means for aid, in which Denver's most prominent people take part. It is estimated that 15,000 persons, men, women and children, are in need of immediate aid. Food is being distributed at the various missions, and the destitution is growing.

WEEKLY CROP REPORT.

Conditions Generally Favorable, but Rain Needed in Most Localities.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—The weekly crop report of the weather bureau states that the rainfall has been deficient throughout the northern states. There was almost a total absence of rain from Nebraska eastward over the states of Ohio valley to Pennsylvania, and while the corn crop is as yet uninjured, it is in a threatened condition in Nebraska and Illinois.

Arkansas—Weather favorable for cotton Where rain fell early corn is made, elsewhere considerable damage has been done, late corn and other growing crops doing well.

Tennessee—Corn and tobacco doing well, but need rain, pastures failing.

Kentucky—Rainfall generally deficient; reports of corn and tobacco generally are encouraging, oats and hay all cut and excellent

Missouri—Corn outlook excellent, but a good soaking rain is needed.

Illinois—No rain except in a few southern counties, rye and wheat harvested and hay cutting completed, yield and quality of wheat generally poor, corn, barley and potatoes poor on account of drought.

Indiana—Wheat excellent, hay saved in fine condition; oats, corn and potatoes suffering from drought in northern and central portions, pastures dry.

Ohio—Wheat threshing and hay and oat harvest continues, generally a good yield, corn, tobacco, potatoes and hay needing rain; corn tasseling and shooting, growing rapidly, late potatoes damaged by bugs.

Michigan—Harvesting, stacking and housing wheat and oats rapidly pushed, corn maturing nicely, potatoes are in fine condition, hay secured in prime condition and an immense crop. Rain is now needed for root crops and pastures

Fight Between Cowboys and Soldiers.

GUTHRIE, Okla, July 26—A report reached here last night that on Sunday a detachment of United States cavalry attempted to drive a lot of cattle out of the Cherokee strip, and a battle ensued between the soldiers and cowboys, in which a number of cattle were killed and one cowboy fatally and eight badly wounded. The matter is being kept quiet, and no further particulars are obtainable.

Dr. Carver, the Showman, Attached.

NEW YORK, July 26.—The sheriff yesterday received two attachments against Dr. Wm. F. Carver, the showman, one for $3,096, in favor of John Friedlander, jeweler, of Berlin, Germany, and the other for $233.90, in favor of the Calvert Lithograph Co. A deputy sheriff has attached twenty-nine horses belonging to Carver.

Two Men Drowned.

CHICAGO, July 26.—Thomas Jordan, John Oben and Frank Pranski went out on the lake yesterday afternoon in a small boat A sudden puff of wind capsized the boat, throwing the occupants into the water. Oban and Jordan were drowned, but Pranski was rescued.

A Significant Omission.

DENVER, Col., July 26—The report of Assignee Schrader of the People's savings bank shows liabilities, $1,256,506 15, and assets, $1,134,451.09. No mention is made of an item of "cash and due from banks, $226,871.49," contained in the statement of the bank July 4.

A Run on the Banks of Tacoma.

TACOMA, Wash., July 26.—Yesterday morning as soon as the banks opened there was a steady stream of depositors to withdraw their money at nearly all the prominent banks The banks are, however, paying promptly all demands.

Notice of Reduction in Wages.

RUTLAND, Vt., July 26.—The Vermont Marble Co has notified its men that wages will be reduced 15 per cent. on August 1. The company is the largest marble concern in the world, and employs about 2,000 men.

Artificial Ice Plant Burned.

LA FAYETTE, Ind., July 26.—Fire last night destroyed the plant of the Artificial Ice Co. and sixty freight cars, and damaged the Monon depot and several residences Loss, $50,000.

Failed to Secure Damages.

LONDON, July 26—Joseph Havelock, secretary of the National Seamen's union, was defeated yesterday in his suit to recover £7,000 for libel from the London Evening News and Post.

Two Sisters Killed by Lightning.

OTTAWA, Ont., July 26.—At Clarence Creek, Russell county, yesterday, lightning struck the house of J. B. Landey, killing his two daughters, aged 16 and 10 years.

IN England 130,000 velocipedes are turned out annually. In France, where they used to laugh at the wheelmen, there are now 300,000 proprietary wheelmen, and perhaps as many more who hire wheels

SAMUEL EDISON, father of the inventor, will celebrate his 91st birthday next month.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—The Wisconsin Marine and Insurance bank of Milwaukee closed yesterday

—Dr. John Rae, the Arctic explorer, died in London Monday, after a prolonged illness.

—The Louisville Deposit bank yesterday made an assignment to the Germania Trust Co.

—The G B. Hodgeman Manufacturing Co of Sandusky, O, has gone into the hands of a receiver, and their works are shut down.

—The Greek consul at Smyrna, Asia Minor, reports that five cases of cholera and two deaths from the disease have occurred there

—Six cases of Winchesters were loaded on the Memphis train, which is carrying a large number of negroes to Kansas to take the strikers' places

—As a result of the Ripley & Bronsan failure the St. Louis Steam Heating and Ventilating Co was yesterday forced to assign. Assets $15,000, liabilities not stated.

—The Farmers' national bank of Findley, O., closed its doors at noon yesterday No excitement prevails, and the other three banks in the city are prepared for any run that may follow

—Marshal Alexander Hamill, of Ashtabula, O, was fatally shot yesterday morning by two burglars whom he was pursuing Hamill had chased the burglars some distance when they fired upon him.

—Lord Dufferin, British ambassador, and M De Velle, French minister of foreign affairs, held another conference to-day, presumably on the question of territorial demands made by France on Siam

—The governor of Kansas has turned the command of the state militia over to Gen Daniels, and two regiments have been ordered to be in readiness to go to the strike district about Weir City

—It transpires that the report that the French government had notified the various powers of her intention to blockade the ports of Siam were premature No such notification has been officially given

—Notwithstanding the official denials of the Italian government of the reports that cholera had appeared in Italy, it is known that the disease is prevailing in Alessandria and other provinces of Piedmont

—Milo T Bogard, the ex-building association secretary, of St Louis, was arrested yesterday on a second warrant, charging forgery, at the instance of A. A Hussman, who alleges that Bogard forged his name to a check for $525

—Despite the excessively warm weather the parade of the commercial travelers in Chicago, yesterday, was a magnificent success Over 12,000 men were in line, and no less than forty-four states and territories were represented

—Ripley & Bronson, of St Louis, one of the oldest and largest iron concerns in the west was compelled to assign by reason of failure to negotiate their paper at a local bank The assets of the firm are placed at $150,000, liabilities not given.

—Cholera has broken out in St Louis, the capital of the French possessions in Senegambia The deaths reach an average of fifty daily, and a genuine panic prevails among the inhabitants The disease is spreading among the European residents, also, three of whom have died

—The special train bearing the injured from Monroe Falls reached Akron, O, about 8 30 o'clock yesterday All the ambulances in the city were at the depot, and the injured were conveyed as speedily as possible to the city hospital, where they received the attention of a score of physicians

—It is quite probable that Daniel H Burnham and Fire Marshal Murphy will soon be released from the finding of the coroner's jury who sat on the victims of the cold storage fire State's Attorney Kern is convinced that the coroner's jury acted hastily, and will advise the grand jury that the cases against them be thrown out

A Dead Body Found.

BUFFALO, N. Y, July 26—On Saturday last Cora Wheeler, aged about 17 years, disappeared from her home on Ellicott street. Monday night her dead body was found in a vacant lot on Elmwood avenue, adjoining the Congregational church, by some boys who stumbled over it when playing. It had apparently lain there for twenty-four hours or more, hidden by the tall grass. The body was badly discolored, but there were no signs of foul play, and the coroner thinks the girl was taken ill and sat down in the grass to rest

What the Autopsy Disclosed.

BUFFALO, N Y., July 26—The autopsy on the body of the Weber girl disclosed the fact that she had been suffering from acute inflammation of the stomach and congestion of both lungs, either of which troubles was sufficient to cause death The coroner says the girl probably had pneumonia before she left home and was mentally deranged.

Clear Sailing for the Falcon.

PHILADELPHIA, July 25.—The bark E. O. Clark has arrived here from Ivigtut, Greenland From the report of Capt Chase, the steamer Falcon, with Lieut Peary and his Greenland exploring party aboard, will have no trouble from the ice in reaching its destination at McCormick's bay. Capt. Chase says that Davis strait is clear of ice on the west side, the floes having drifted over towards the northeast shore, and that the way is open to McCormick's bay.

KATE FIELD says that Edwin Booth cast a vote for Abraham Lincoln for President, but never voted before that occasion or after.

From

Delmonico's Kitchen.

NEW YORK, February 11.

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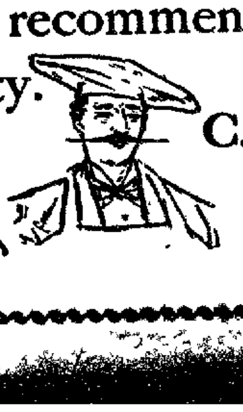
I recommend it as of the first quality.



C. GORJU,

Late Chef de cuisine,

Delmonico's, N. Y.

NEWS FROM HAWAII.

More Soldiers Killed in Attacks on Koelau's Lair.

MR. BLOUNT CONCLUDES HIS REPORT.

A New Treaty Ready to be Submitted to the United States—Ownership of the Business of the Islands, Etc.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 26.—The steamer Oceanic arrived from Hong-Kong and Yokohama yesterday, bringing Honolulu advices to July 18.

On July 17, Wm. D. Alexander was appointed commissioner to assist Mr. Thurston, at Washington, in negotiations for a treaty of annexation. Alexander is the leading historian of Hawaii, and is widely known in scientific circles abroad

A reward of $1,000 has been offered for the capture of Leper Murderer Koelau.

Three soldiers have been killed in recent attacks on Koelau's lair.

Minister Blount has concluded his report on Hawaiian affairs, and it was stated he would probably forward it to Washington by the steamer Australia, which was to sail on the 19th. It is reported that he has given the provisional government to understand nothing will be done until he sends back his report, which may be acted upon by the extra session of congress in August.

The new treaty, which was drawn to be submitted to the United States government will be held here awaiting action on Blount's reports

The latest report concerning the document is that it is a straight treaty of annexation, in which no reference occurs to the labor question, finances or the present system of land holdings.

Finance Minister Damon yesterday issued a statement showing that the whites own 97½ per cent. and the Americans 70 per cent. of all the business interests of the islands.

Paul Neuman, late queen's agent at Washington, in an open letter to President Dole, attributes the languishing trade and hard times to the present political uncertainty, and demands that the will of the people be ascertained by a popular vote

The situation in the islands is apparently quiet. The ministers speak in high terms of their confidence in Mr. Blount and of their satisfactory relations with him.

Great Britain Will Continue to Protect Her Subjects in Bangkok.

LONDON, July 26.—In the house of commons yesterday Sir Edward Gray, parliamentary secretary of the foreign office, in answer to questions said that the government was aware of the mining rights held in Siam by British subjects, but they were west of the Me-Kong river and were not included in the territorial demands made by France.

Great Britain had received from France verbal notice of the intention of the French government to blocade the Siamese coast. The blockade would be next to billigerancy. The British government, Sir Edward added, proposed to continue its present protection of the lives and property of British subjects in Bangkok. The government thought that the value that attaches to a declaration of blockade must vary with the circumstances of each particular case.

In response to further questioning Sir Edward replied.

"I can't add anything to what I have said. I hope to be able to give you further information on Thursday. It would not be advisable nor to the public interest to make any further statement to-day."

JINGO PHARISEES.

The Westminster Gazette on the Franco-Siamese War.

LONDON, July 25.—The Westminster Gazette, a liberal organ, to-day publishes an article on the Franco-Siamese dispute, under the caption "Jingo Pharisees." The paper admits that the situation arising from the dispute is serious, but deprecates the bluster that marks the articles on the subject in a section of the tory press. It urges that more confidence be placed in Lord Roseberry, the British foreign minister, whose hands, it says, may be best strengthened by a certain amount of reserve. Great Britain ought not to forget that France may possibly have a case as good in French eyes as any British case is in British eyes.

The Siamese Question Considered in the French Cabinet.

PARIS, July 26.—A cabinet council was held yesterday at Marley le Roi, where President Carnot is temporarily sojourning. M. Carnot presided over the deliberations, which were entirely devoted to the Siamese question. After the close a semi-official statement of the proceedings was issued. This statement was that in conformity with the unanimous vote of the senate and the chamber of deputies the government has taken such measures to safeguard the interests and dignity of France as were considered from Siam's reply to the French ultimatum to have been rendered necessary.

Sailed for the Gulf of Siam.

SAIGON, July 26.—The division of the far east of the French fleet, which is commanded by Admiral Humann, sailed yesterday for the gulf of Siam. The merchant vessels lying off Bangkok probably will receive notice in time before the blockade to leave the Menam river and put out to sea.

China's Amazement and Indignation.

TIEN-TSIEN, July 26.—The Chinese government has received the news of France's territorial demands upon Siam with amazement and indignation. That France should lay claim to country up to the twenty-third parallel is regarded as an intrusion upon the rights of China, for at Peking the contention is that both banks of Me-Kong to a point well south of the twenty-third parallel are Chinese possessions.

The mandarin party, which is bitterly against the French is trying to force the government to interfere.

The French Minister Resident Leaves Bangkok.

BANGKOK, July 26.—M. Pavie, French minister resident, started down the river yesterday on the war ship Inconstante, accompanied by the war ships Lutin and Comete. All is quiet in this city.

Wood Pulleys, Chain, Pumps, Iron [illegible]

A WARM RECEPTION,

For Which Faithful Subordinates Will be Discharged.

A COMMISSIONER WITHOUT A BADGE

Bulldozes His Way Into the World's Fair, and Wants the Heads of Ticket Takers Who Simply Obeyed Orders.

WORLD'S FAIR GROUNDS, CHICAGO, July 26—Commissioner St. Clair of the council of administration, met with a warm reception at the gates of the exposition yesterday afternoon on his return from his West Virginia home. He has been in the habit of entering the grounds through the terminal station gate and he says the men at that entrance knew him He left his badge at home, but on reaching the gate showed his personal card to Ticket Taker Durell to put in the box in order to make the statistics of admission complete. The ticket man refused to admit Gen. St Clair without his badge and held him at the gate until Inspector J H. Thornby came along The inspector sided with his subordinate, and so provoked the commissioner by their talk that the athletic West Virginian hit out with his right and landed on the inspector's face. Another ticket taker rushed to the gate where the hostilities were in progress, and all three poked their fists at the commissioner, giving him several unattractive cuts and scratches in the face. The West Virginian left his mark on Durell and Thornby, and also effected an entrance by jumping over the turnstile. The Columbian guards on duty at the station were silent eyewitnesses of the encounter, but when it was over and there was no danger of getting hurt they advanced upon Gen St. Clair with the avowed intention of adding insult to injury by giving him a patrol-wagon ride The commissioner invited them to visit a warmer place than the White City, and followed up the invitation by telling them they would be among the unemployed to-morrow if they didn't go about their business. So they went.

The commissioner related his story to his colleagues on the council looking somewhat disfigured in the optics, checks and lips. He says the inspector and two guards will be discharged by to-night His appearance in the Administration building office created a novel sensation, and the commissioner received the sympathy as well as praise of his friends on the commission who have had trouble before with the men in blue and white stripes at the gates of the fair.

AT THE WORLD'S FAIR.

The Wave of Financial Distress Takes a Commissioner Home—Texas Newspaper Men Entertained.

WORLD'S FAIR GROUNDS, CHICAGO, July 26—The wave of financial distress which is at present sweeping over the country, Mr. McDonald, commissioner-at-large of California, thought had assumed such proportions that he must leave for the Pacific coast at once, and in the national commission yesterday afternoon he asked for and was granted an indefinite leave of absence.

Mr McDonald asked the commission to support John Boyd Thatcher and his "system of awards," and hoped that the commission would labor with the railroads to secure cheaper fares and bring the people to the exposition. He said there were thousands of people at their homes unable to leave on account of the nervous condition of monetary affairs, but once the crisis had been passed, he thought, the attendance at the fair would be doubled

The commission spent some time in discussing whether or not it would confirm the nominations of the lady judges made by the committee on awards when presented or hold them over for consideration until the next day The latter course was finally decided upon.

The commission then extended an invitation to the Commercial Travelers' association to visit the commissioners to-day at 10 o'clock to which hour adjournment was taken.

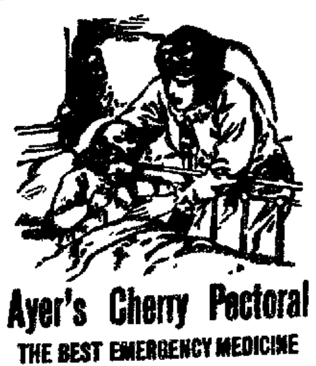
Mrs Benedict Tobin, president of the Women's World's Fair Exhibit association of Texas, which has erected the state building by popular subscription, assisted by Mrs. W. F Ladd, vice-president, and others, were the hostesses at a reception given the World's fair newspaper men from 1 to 4 o'clock yesterday. In addition to refreshments, flowers and flags, there was music by the Mexican band and vocal and instrumental music by Texas talent

Sales of Real Estate.

Hiram Johnson to Thomas B. Spalding, deed to lot 12, block 2, in Millikin Place—$1200.

Rebecca Lower to Ida F. Harper, deed to lots 6 and 7, block 6, in Harristown—$1.00.

Ulysses J. Jones to Geo. L. Jones, quit claim to tract of land in 20, 18, 2 east—$1.



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Threatening Every Household.

Prompt to act, sure to cure

COMMENCING WEDNESDAY, JULY 26TH, the Illinois Central railroad will place in service a through sleeper car on the Chicago train leaving Decatur at [illegible] p. m., arriving at Chicago at 7 a. m. The sleeping car now running [illegible]

CLOSING OUT SALE!

WE have quite a good deal of Hot Weather Clothing which we are closing out. Look at the Bargains in the following list :

All Straw Hats, And we have a very few left go AT COST.

Hot Weather Coats, From 50c up to $8. We have some elegant Silk Coats and Vests for nobby dressers.

Negligee Shirts, In Soft and Unlaundered. Our French Crepe Negligee at 50c, is a dandy, is cool and washes well. Some elegant things in Half Laundered Shirts left, all go at ridiculously low prices.

A Good Assortment Of Summer Neckwear to select from.

This Is Trouser Month, And we have many odd Pants, suitable to wear out your present coat and vest, which we can sell you from $1.50 to $7.50.

Our $16.50 Flat-bound, guaranteed all-wool, fast color, black Clay Dress Suit is still our leader, and is the same suit which you will pay competitors $20 for.

Our Children's Department HAS M[illegible] BARGA[illegible] We have a big line of Knee Pants and Waists. OUR CHILDREN'S WASH SUITS, just the thing for the boys in this extreme[illegible] weather, go at ANY PRICE.

DON'T FAIL TO AVAIL YOURSELF OF SOME OF THESE BARGAINS.

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8 doz. Ladies' White India Linen Shirt Waists, all sizes, at 37c each.
25 doz. Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Vests, 5c each.
20 doz. Ladies' full regular Tan Hose, 15c a pair.
Ladies' Fancy Colored Collars and Cuffs, 11c a set.
Ladies' Straw Sailor Hats, all colors, 13c.
The new Empire Leather Belt, 3 inches wide, Tan and Black, 50c each.
Men's 4-Ply Linen Collars, 5c.
Men's 4-Ply Linen Cuffs, 10c.
Men's Laundered White Shirts, all sizes, 50c.
Children's Seamless Knit Underwaists, with buttons, all sizes, 18c

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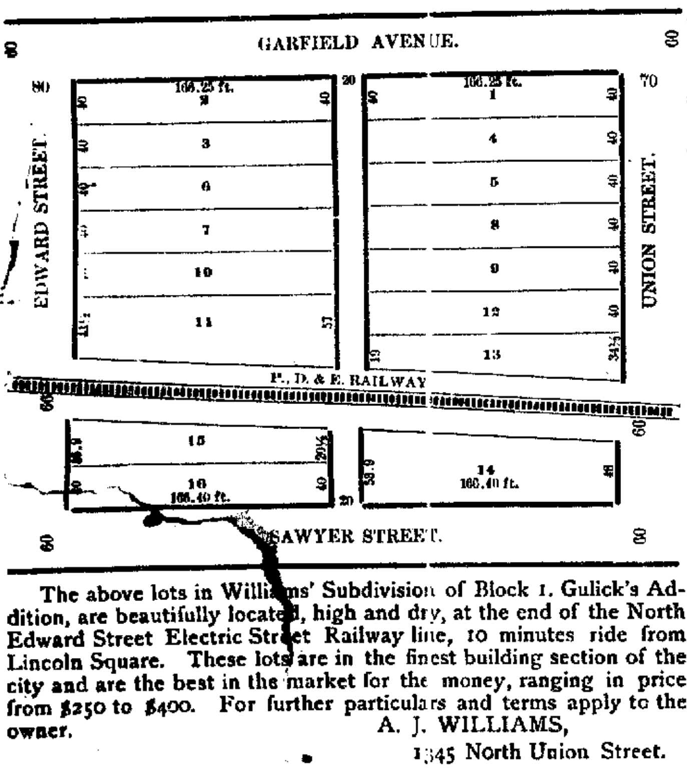
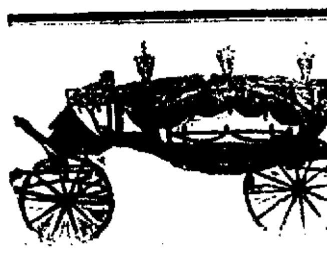


The above lots in Williams' Subdivision of Block 1, Gulick's Addition, are beautifully located, high and dry, at the end of the North Edward Street Electric Street Railway line, 10 minutes ride from Lincoln Square. These lots are in the finest building section of the city and are the best in the market for the money, ranging in price from $250 to $400. For further particulars and terms apply to the owner.

A. J. WILLIAMS,
1345 North Union Street.



J. B. BULLARD,

FUNERAL DIRECTOR,

Has removed from Masonic Temple Block in Syndicate Block, North Main street, where everything pertaining to the funeral business is furnished and attended to the highest style of the art. Calls night or day, will receive prompt attention. In connection a receiving vault.

Residence—259 West William street. Residence Telephone 128. Office 123.

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for cementing the reservoir for the filter plant of the public water works of the city of Decatur, Illinois, together with all matters pertaining thereto, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder and that sealed bids will be received from the date hereof, until four o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 31st day July A. D. 1893.

That the cementing of said reservoir will be required to be constructed strictly in accordance with the plans and specifications for the same, now on file in the office of the city clerk, and subject to the inspection and approval of said city.

The contractor will be required to furnish all labor and material of whatever nature required, to do such cementing, together with all matters pertaining thereto.

The contractor will be required to enter into a contract with said city, which said contract shall contain sufficient and proper covenants and conditions for the cementing of said reservoir, strictly in compliance with said plans and specifications, and shall contain such other covenants, conditions and limitations as shall be necessary in and about the premises, and the contractor will be required to give a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five hundred dollars.

The city council reserves the right to permit the water and light committee of said council to open and examine any and all bids after four o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 31st day of July A. D. 1893, for the purpose of said committee making report of all bids received, to the city council of said city.

A good and sufficient bond or certified check, in the sum of five hundred dollars, must accompany each bid.

All bids together with all matters pertaining thereto, will be submitted to the city council, and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Decatur, Illinois, July 8, A. D. 1893.

L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

July 8-d4d.

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract to make the necessary excavations in which to lay the water pipe which has been ordered laid by the city of Decatur, Illinois, together with the refilling of the trenches after the pipe is laid, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received from the date hereof, until four o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 7th day of August, A. D. 1893, at the office of the City Clerk of said city.

That the making of the necessary trenches and refilling same shall be done strictly in accordance with the plans and specifications for same, now on file in the office of the city clerk, and subject to the inspection, direction and approval of said city.

The contractor will be required to furnish all labor and material of whatever nature required [illegible]

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The well known and successful Specialist, by request of many friends and patients has consented to visit

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ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois as second class mail matter.

WEDNESDAY EVE., JULY 26, 1893.

The Gresham boom for president is only equalled by the boom in business that was promised in case of the return of the Democrats to power.

Grover Cleveland sits day after day complacently fishing, while the people are left to worry with the result of a Democratic victory he helped to bring about.

That profound statement of Gresham's that "the price of labor is fixed by supply and demand" don't seem to help matters under the present state of affairs.

So long as Democratic congressmen, one here and another there, and cabinet officers say that nobody can tell what congress will do with the important questions which are now deranging business, no one need expect much improvement in the direction of public confidence. Capital will take no chances with a congress or a party that does not know what to do.

The present administration seems to be very reluctant about repealing the "iniquitous tariff tax law." It does not seem to realize, if the "tariff is a tax," as Democratic campaigners claimed it to be, that if there ever was a time when the awful burden of "tariff taxes" should be removed from the "back of toil" it is the time when laboringmen have lost their jobs and wages are being reduced. That time is now.

In its wisdom on the subject of meat inspection the New York *Evening Post* is so wise that it bends backwards. Because we have sold only $3,547,000 worth of meat products in two years to countries demanding inspection against $34,000,000 in the same time to countries which do not require it, our contemporary concludes that "if the law is supposed to create a demand for our meats abroad it is evidently a failure." As a matter of fact the market for our entire meat product is largely due to our government inspection. It enables us to ship to England where the product is restamped as an English product and reshipped to all quarters of the globe. Directly or indirectly we get the advantage of our government brand.

An attempt was made to interview Senator Sherman recently with reference to the present business depression and this is what he said:

"I cannot be interviewed on the cause and cure of the existing business depression. I have declined steadfastly to grant such requests, and shall continue to do so. The people have called upon the present administration to handle these questions, and neither I nor any one should do aught to add embarrassment when so much already exists. Of course, I have my own ideas about these things, but until those whose appointed task it is to settle them have suggested what they desire done, it would be unbecoming and improper to propose remedies and venture opinions, as, for instance, Mr. Bland has done.

The Republicans will not dare do what the Democratic party under the same circumstances would do; that is, they will not seek to compromise the dominant party at the expense of the country, and that was precisely the course the Democratic party pursued when it had the opportunity. The Democratic position of friendliness to free coinage of silver was largely assumed in order to cripple the Republican party by winning over the support of a dozen or so Republican senators from the silver states. Thus, by securing a small segment of the Republican representation, a policy was forced which the party, as a whole, was powerless to prevent. In this congress the Republican minority will do what it believes to be right, and therein lies the difference between the two organizations.

The *Pantagraph:* Governor Stone, of Missouri, in a recent speech commented severely on the course of the party leaders in attacking the Sherman law and dropping the tariff issue. He said in part:

"Tariff reform has been lost in the struggle and the McKinley law is still on the statutes, and seems likely to remain there for years to come. Were we lying then, when we attributed all our ills to the high protective system, or are we lying now when we lay everything to the Sherman law?"

The truth is, governor, if we must say it, that you lied both then and now. It was false to charge your ills then to protection because the country was prosperous and there was nobody talking of ills but a set of office-seeking demagogues who were more concerned about getting votes than they were about the welfare of the people. It is false to charge the present business depression to the Sherman law, because that depression began with the distrust among the manufacturing interests of the country with the tariff policy of the administration and not through distrust of the Sherman silver dollar. It was a question of markets and not of coin that was the beginning of the trouble.

Making a Roll of Honor.

Judging from the suspension of some pensioners, the pension bureau has evidently forgotten that when it started out it declared its purpose to be to make the pension roll a roll of honor. Take as examples the suspension of the pension of Justice Charles Dean Long, of the Michigan supreme court, who, at the battle of Wilmington Island, Ga., lost his left arm and was also shot through the hips and abdomen, the latter wound being in such condition that it has to be dressed twice daily.

Also the pension of $6 a month of Hiram Weeks, of Minneapolis, a veteran who served for four years and was engaged in forty battles, and now lies at the point of death from gangrene of the foot and other complaints, most of which have been traced to exposure in the army.

Also that of a veteran of the 28th New York Infantry, Charles O. Ingalls, who had a pension of $12 a month, and is insane from the effects of injuries received in 1862 at the battle of [illegible].

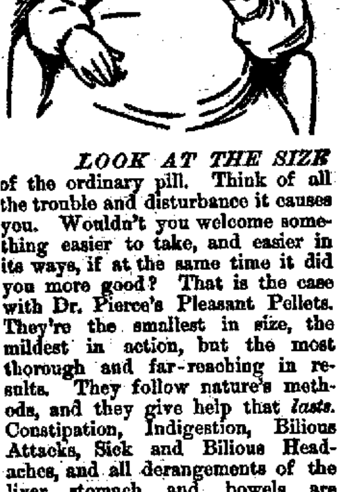
Surely men of such records do not dishonor the pension rolls. It looks a good deal as if the statement made several days ago by some of our pension officials that the pension office was paying [illegible]. It is [illegible] pensioners to pay a lot of pension officials. It is well known [illegible] stead of granting pensions, and yet the present administration seems to be proceeding on the theory that pensions were thrust upon those now on the pension rolls, and that it is justifiable in suspending pensions and asking the pensioner, now in the evening of his life, to enter again upon the long weary road of furnishing further proof, which it is likely will never be quite sufficient. Thousands so suspended, in view of past trouble and delays, will surely abandon any thought of trying to again place themselves on a roll where they are not wanted. Many of them will be dead before they will be able to satisfy those now in power that they are entitled to restoration.

Another War Cloud.

Mrs. Potter of Kansas City, Kansas, is doing what she can to elevate politics, but in a somewhat erratic way. Last spring she was a candidate for mayor of the town in which she makes her home. In the count, however, she cut but a small figure. Her ambition now is to procure from the Kansas Republican convention, which meets in September, an endorsement of the woman suffrage principle, and at a meeting of the local Equal Suffrage Association on Monday declared she would succeed even though to do so she should be obliged to wade in blood up to her ears. Incidentally Mrs. Potter and the president of the association exchanged such compliments as "You're a liar," "You're another." It might be observed, as a coincidence, that Mrs. Potter's ears are just about on a level with the bridle straps on the figurative horse of Governor Waite of Colorado.

Bad Outlook for wages.

New York Recorder: The workingmen were told last summer and fall that the inevitable result of the success of the Democratic party would be a reduction of wages. They laughed at the prediction, and declared their unions would keep their compensation up to the old standard. How is it now? The McKinley law, it is true, is still in force, but the apprehension of its repeal has alarmed manufacturers in nearly every branch of business, and the gloomy prospect is that the workingmen will have to accept the alternative of lower wages or absolute idleness.



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"If we can't cure your Catarrh, no matter how bad your case or of how long standing, we'll pay you $500 in cash." That is what is promised by the proprietors of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. Doesn't it prove, better than any words could, that this is a remedy that *cures* Catarrh? Costs only 50 cents.

The public schools of Charleston, S. C., closed last Friday for the summer vacation and 5,000 youngsters were turned loose for recreation. What would a Northern boy think if he had to stay in a stuffy schoolroom after the Fourth of July? But within the memory of men who would resent being called old four weeks in August was the extent of the summer vacation.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by King & Wood, druggists. d&w

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July 17th, 18th and 19th,

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First choice always desirable. Examine the goods and [illegible]

MOHAMMEDAN PILGRIMAGES.

The Devout Believer on His Way to the Holy Places of Arabia.

It is the highest religious duty and it is the intention of every Moslem—indeed, it it enjoined as necessary to his salvation—once in his lifetime to make the pilgrimage, either in person or by proxy, to the holy places of Arabia. It is not to the purpose to visit Mecca and Medina at any time of the year. Only by making the pilgrimage in the right month, and by taking part in the ceremonies at each holy place on the days set apart for them, is the worshiper entitled to the name of Hadji. Repeated pilgrimages are works of supererogation, but add to the honor and sanctity of the pilgrim. In the cities of Damascus and Cairo the traveler sees many houses decorated on the exterior with rude, fantastic and highly colored pictures. These mural adornments are the certain signal of distinction, for they are permitted to no one who has not made the Hadj. The pilgrimage usually occupies about ninety or one hundred days. These are the days following the great fast of Ramadan. As the Moslems reckon by lunar months, their seasons do not coincide with ours, and so the pilgrimage makes gradually the circuit of our year, and the high festival days of Mecca may fall in the heat of summer or in winter time. A great caravan sets out yearly from Damascus and another from Cairo. The straggling band of worshipers from the wide world either fall in with these caravans en route, or make their way to Mecca as they can, and await there the arrival of the mass of pilgrims. That from Cairo sets out on the 25th of the month Showel, following the fast of Ramadan. The three days of high ceremony in and about Mecca are the 10th, 11th and 12th of Zul Hadj, and the caravan returns to Cairo about the 25th of Saffer.

Formerly the pilgrims assembled on the edge of the desert outside of Cairo, where the caravan was formed. It took up its line of march across the desert, passing north of Suez, round the Gulf of Aakaba, and turning south to Yembo el-Nakhel. Here it found itself near the great Syrian caravan, which had come from Damascus by way of Medina, and marched on a parallel line with that to Mecca. It traveled only by night, and rested in the day-time. The journey took thirty-one nights, and as there was a halt of seven entire days on the road, the distance from Cairo to Mecca was reckoned at thirty-seven days. These two caravans were the important and official contributions to the Mecca festival, but there was a smaller Bagdad caravan, and great numbers, singly and in groups, went by boat to Jedda (Djedda), the port of the Red sea, distant about forty-six miles from the holy city; and immense crowds flocked in from all parts of Arabia, by which the conventional number of 70,000 was made up. It was said that if this number were not present for the day at Arafat, the angels would miraculously increase it. There have been great exaggerations in the estimates of the annual concourse at Mecca. Ludovico Bartima, of Rome, estimated the Damascus caravan in 1503 at 40,000 men and 35,000 camels. Giovanni Finanti, renegade Italian conscript, in 1814 put the Syrian and African caravans at 40,000. Ali Bey (a Spaniard), whose real name was Domingo Badia y Leblich, in 1807 computed 80,000 men, 2,000 women and 1,000 children assembled on the day of Arafat; and Burckhardt (1814) estimated the crowd at Arafat at 70,000. Burton, in 1853, was sure there were not over 7,000 in the Damascus caravan, nor more than 50,000 on Mount Arafat. Both Burckhardt and Burton thought the number of annual pilgrims diminishing.

The official caravan from Damascus carries the covering for the prophet's tomb at Medina, which is annually renewed. Cairo supplies, annually at the expense of the government, the mahmel, or canopy of dark cloth or velvet, wrought with texts in dark thread, which is the cover of the Kaaba, and the kisweh, or lining for the interior of the Kaaba, which is of rich silk, heavily embroidered with Arabic sentences in gold. The kisweh that was hung in the temple a year is brought back to Cairo and divided in bits and shreds among the faithful. Formerly the mahmel used to remain, and the Kaaba was shrouded in layer above layer, until the cloth decayed, but now the old canopy is removed before the new is put on.

The conditions of pilgrimage have greatly changed in the last few years. The Syrian and African caravans continue, but they seem to be less in size. The governments still pay tribute to the desert sheiks for passage through their territories, but the dangers which required so many to travel together seem to have diminished. Pilgrims make their way from all parts of the world by rail and by steamboat. As hosts undertake the pilgrimage who are exceedingly poor, and many postpone it till they are diseased and old, the mortality must still be great, and large numbers die on the way, or have the felicity of passing to paradise from the vicinity of the Kaaba, their wasted, fanatical bodies bathed for the last time in the sacred waters of the well Zemzem. The annual pilgrimage from Cairo goes by rail to Suez, and there takes steamboats to Jedda. In the season tramp steamers voyage about the Mediterranean, picking up pilgrims at every Mohammedan port, and transporting them through the canal and the Red Sea to Jedda. These steamers are usually overcrowded, and the passengers suffer more, though for a less time, than the old desert travelers, and from time to time we hear that one of these unseaworthy crafts is consumed by fire, or has gone down with its load of devotees. As Heaven is as near by water as by land, and the intention of devotion is all in all, the modern mode of travel satisfies the requirements of the Hadj. The word which we translate pilgrimage means aspiration, is a symbol of our transit through the wilderness of this world to a better country, and the final reward will be in proportion to the hardships of the journey. No doubt something of business and trade enters into the annual festival, and gives Mecca, whose greedy population largely live by accommodating and fleecing the pilgrims, the character of a "fair," but the main motive that draws devotees from Africa, from India, from Persia and from the whole of missionary and proselyting Islam is a faith equal in sincerity to and more fiery in intensity than the zeal that directs the steps of Christians to Jerusalem and to Rome.—Charles Dudley Warner, in Harper's Magazine.

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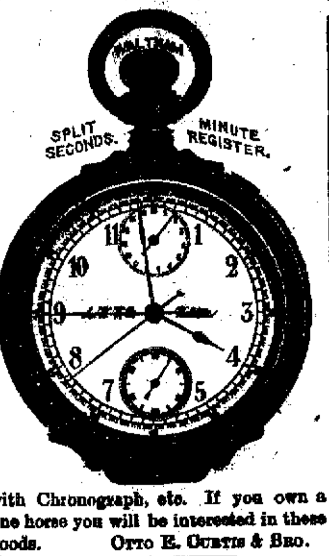
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New Time Card for the Vandalia Line.

The Vandalia line will change time July 24. The most important change will be in trains 3 and 4 between Terre Haute and Decatur and 5 and 6 between Decatur and Peoria. These trains on the new card will be made strictly passenger trains and no freight cars will be handled as heretofore. No. 79 will leave Decatur for Peoria at 7:15 a. m. and No. 80 will return leaving Peoria at 4 p. m., arriving at Decatur at 7:15 instead of 9 o'clock as formerly. There will be no change in the time of passenger trains No. 1, 2, 3, and 4, with the exception of train No. 3 which will leave Terre Haute at 3:25 p. m. and will arrive at Decatur at 7:30 p. m., instead of 7:05 p. m. The numbers of passenger trains have been changed as follows: Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, will be Nos. 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, and 80. Mr. T. Peniwell has been appointed city ticket agent for the Vandalia line with office at his old stand in the Western Union Telegraph office. He will have a complete stock of tickets for all points.

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Those wishing to make a fortunate investment in mining stock should call at the Republican office and take shares in the Edna Gold and Silver Mining company stock. It can be had for the next 30 days at 10 cents a share in blocks of 100 or more, and payments can be made weekly or monthly. Money is needed for the development of the mine which is now in pay ore over 100 feet deep. In five or six months the dividends will be 10 to 15 per cent a month on the dollar. The mine is located in Boulder county, Colo., and is one of the best properties in the state. The capital stock is only $200,000. If you want to strike it rich buy Edna mining stock. W. G. Nagely, secretary,—has established an agency in Decatur. J. J. H. Young, agent.

june5-d1m.

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Ladies' Lace Pins, gold plate, 50 and 75c.
Necklaces go for 50c.
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Gold Cuff Buttons, 35 to 50c.
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Gents' Watch Chains, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00.

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Copper Bottom Wash Boiler, 75c.
Wash Basins, 7c.
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If you are not feeling strong and healthy, try Electric Bitters. If La Grippe has left you weak and weary, use Electric Bitters. This remedy acts directly on Liver, Stomach and Kidneys, gently aiding those organs to perform their functions. If you are afflicted with Sick Headache, you will find speedy and permanent relief by taking Electric Bitters. One trial will convince you that this is the remedy you need. Large bottles only 50c, at King & Wood's drug store. fm

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DRESSMAKING—Call at 1338 East North street for fashionable dressmaking. Eldorado street cars go by the door. jy24-d1w*

FOR RENT AND SALE.—For rent, house at 412 East Prairie street. Furniture now in house may be bought cheap by person renting house, or will sell furniture to anyone else. This is a good chance for young people going to housekeeping. Inquire at premises of W. A. WILLIAMS, 245 South Side City Park. july24-d1w*

FOR RENT—A good house of eight rooms bath room, water closet, water, gas and furnace—234 West Prairie St. Apply to O. B. GORIN. jy22-d1w

WANTED—At 407 West Main street, a domestic to do cooking, washing and ironing. MRS. W. L. SHELLABARGER. jy22-d6*

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STORAGE—Regular storage house for all kinds of merchandise, household goods, stoves, &c. Goods transferred to and from the house. Goods packed. Loans made. Brick building. Office and warerooms 620 East Mason street. Telephone 292. C. C. HARPSTRITE. aug1-dtf

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WANTED—A good girl to do general house work. Apply at 736 West William street. july11-dtf

ROOMS.—Choice, clean rooms for World's Fair visitors, 50c per day each, meals 25c each; 35 minutes of the grounds. W. E. Hall, 105 to 109 Aberdeen St., Chicago. july11-d4w*

R. O. Rosen, Architect and Builder. Office over Citizens' National bank, third floor. Rooms 1 and 8.

MACHINIST—The Decatur Machine Works at 127 and 129 South Franklin street is now prepared to do all kinds and classes of machine work at reasonable prices. My machinery is all new. Give me a trial, please. m20-dtf JOHN SEELBACH.

BUSINESS CHANCE—Wanted—Man in this city with $—— cash capital to start a branch of our business. $—— per month can easily be made. Business strictly legitimate and permanent; now in operation in several cities—coining money. Parties with the required capital, meaning business, address LAWRENCE & HOPKINS, Neave Bdg, Cincinnati, O. jy11-d3w*

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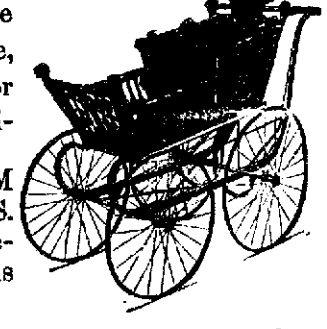

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

In effect July 8, 1893.

WABASH.

FROM ST. LOUIS.	TO ST. LOUIS.
No. 10 Pass... 8:45 p m	No. 9 Pass....6:20 a m
No. 4 Pass....11:45 a m	No. 8 Pass....4:15 am
No. 44 Pass...11:15 a m	No. 43 Pass....4:45 a m
No. 42 Pass...10:30 p m	No. 45 Pass....4:05 p m
No. 2 Pass...12:15 a m	No. 5 Pass....3:45 p m
FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.	TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.
No. 42 Pass....10:05 p m	No. 43 Pass... 4:20 a m
No. 44 Pass....11:05 a m	No. 45 Pass... 4:01 p m
No. 5 Pass... 6:15 a m	No. 1 Pass... 9:07 p m
No. 25 Acc.... 7:05 p m	No. 47 Acc.... 6:40 a m
No. 70, Freight 1:05 a m	No. 71, Freight 11:50 a m
FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT.	TO TOLEDO & DETROIT.
No. 43 Pass... 3:50 a m	No. 45 Pass... 6:25 a m
No. 45 Pass... 3:55 p m	No. 44 Pass...11:25 a m
No. 41 Pass... 9:00 p m	No. 42 Pass...10:15 p m
No. 47 Pass from Bement 10.30 a m	No. 48 Pass to Bement.. 3:15 p m
FROM CHICAGO.	TO CHICAGO.
No. 3 Pass.....4:05 a m	No. 2 Pass....12:30 a m
No. 5 Pass.....3:49 p m	No. 4 Pass....11:50 a m
No. 1 Pass, except Sunday..8:50 p m	No. 6 Pass, except Sunday 6:35 a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 120 pass. ex. Sunday........7:00 a. m	No. 103 pass. ex. Sunday........5:50 p. m
No. 124 pass. daily........10:45 p. m	No. 117 pass. to Pana, daily........4:45 a. m
No. 162 pass. ex. Sunday........9:00 p. m	No. 121 pass. ex. Sunday........10.25 a. m
No. 163 pass. ex. Sunday........[illegible]	[illegible]
No 104 freight, ex. Sunday........3:30 p. m	[illegible]
No. 702 (Champaign Line) leaves, ex. Sunday........3:15 p. m	[illegible]

INDIANAPOLIS, [illegible] WESTERN

ARRIVE.	[illegible]
No. 1 Pass... [illegible]	[illegible]
No. 8 Pass... [illegible]	[illegible]
No. 7 Freight [illegible] a m	[illegible]
No. 9 Freight [illegible] p m	[illegible]

PEORIA, DECATUR [illegible] VILLE

NORTH.	[illegible]
No. 2 Pass...3:30 p m	[illegible]
No. 4 Pass... [illegible] a m	[illegible]
No. 20 Pass, Sunday only........7:30 a m	[illegible]
No. 24 Freight [illegible] a m	[illegible]

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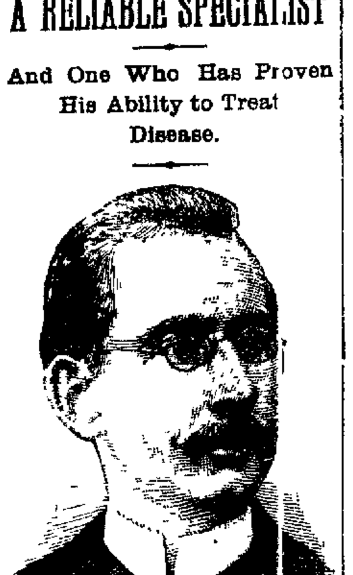

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Correspondence solicited and confidential. Address Dr. D. D. Rea, No. 222 Paulina Street, Chicago, Ill.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Joseph D. Keagle, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Joseph D. Keagle, late of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the September term, on the first Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 17th day of July, 1893.

J. B. CAMPBELL,
Administrator.

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the County court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Jacob Deardorff and against Emanuel B. Deardorff, I have levied upon the following described property, to wit: Lot eleven (11), block seven (7) East Park Boulevard addition to the city of Decatur. Taken as property of the said Emanuel B. Deardorff which I shall offer at public sale at the north door of the court house in Macon county, Ill., said state, on the 4th day of August A. D. 1893, at 2 p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

[illegible] day of July, A. D. 1893.

PETER PERL,
[illegible] County, Illinois.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER OF THE [illegible]
[illegible]TON, June [illegible], 1893.

[illegible] factory evidence [illegible] to the undersigned [illegible] been made to appear that [illegible] of Decatur, [illegible] the city of [illegible] of Macon [illegible] and state of [illegible] United States [illegible] provisions of [illegible] required to be [illegible] an association shall be [illegible] the business of banking [illegible] I, James H. Eckels, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that [illegible] Bank of Decatur, [illegible] the city of [illegible] the county of Macon, and the state [illegible] authorized to commence the business [illegible] as provided in the [illegible] Fifty-one [illegible] of the Revised Statutes [illegible]

[illegible] witness my [illegible] of June, 1893.

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I. C. EXCURSION.

NEW TRAIN TO CHICAGO.—Commencing Monday, June 12th, morning train north on I. C. R. R. will leave Decatur at 7 a. m., with through coaches for Chicago, arriving at World's Fair grounds at 1 30 p. m. Returning will leave Chicago at 10.30 a. m. arriving at Decatur at 5.20 p. m. No change of cars in either direction. For tickets or further information, call on T. Peniwell, city office, or C. O. Judson, agent, Union depot.

WORLD'S COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION.—The Illinois Central will sell round-trip tickets to Chicago, Ill., Sale of tickets to commence April 25th, 1893, and continue daily to and including Oct. 31st, 1893, going journey to be commenced on date of sale. Tickets limited to continuous passage in each direction, and good for return until Nov. 15, 1893. For tickets call on T. Peniwell, C. T. A., 110 Library Block; or C. O. Judson, Union Depot, Decatur, Ill. apr24

NOTICE—The Illinois Central Railroad—On and after 17th, 1893, the new central station of the above road at Chicago, beautifully located between 12th street and Park Row, on the Lake Front, will be opened for the arrival and departure of through trains, the running of such to and from its old station, foot of Lake street, being abandoned.—14-d&w6t.

SLEEPER EVERY NIGHT.—Until further notice the Illinois Central sleeper from Decatur to Chicago will be at the Union depot every night, Sunday included, ready to receive passengers at 9 o'clock, train leaving every night in the week at 10:45 p. m. Car will be close to the street car terminal. Train will arrive at World's Fair ground at 7 a. m.; return leaving Chicago at 9 p. m., arriving at Decatur at 4.45 a. m. See T. Peniwell, the up-town ticket agent, 110 Library Block, for berths and railway tickets; also W. L. Smith, the depot agent. 22

New Night Train to Chicago.

Commencing Sunday June 18th, the Illinois Central railroad will have a new train leaving Decatur daily (except Saturday) at 10:45 p. m. and arriving at Chicago at 7:20 a. m. stopping at the World's Fair gates. Returning, leave Chicago at 9 p. m. daily (except Sunday) arriving at Decatur at 4 40 a. m. This train will have through sleeper both ways between Decatur and Chicago and can be occupied as early in the evening as desired. The Diamond Special train heretofore going north at 1:35 a. m. will be discontinued on this division. For tickets or other information call on T. Peniwell, city office, or C. O. Judson, Agt., Union Depot. jun16-1m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R. reduced rates to Chicago and the World's Fair. Tickets on sale on and after April 25th, from Decatur Station to Chicago and return at $7 15 for the round trip, sale to continue daily until October 31st, 1893, inclusive, tickets good to return until Nov. 15, 1893. Remember that the Central Route is the only railroad from the south whose trains enter Chicago without [illegible] and [illegible] view of the [illegible] World's Fair Gates. [illegible]

WABASH EXCURSIONS.

HOMER, ILL., account of fair, round trip $2.20, sell August 8th to 12th, good returning till August 13th.

Sullivan, Ill., account Cook & Whitby's circus, round trip $1, to sell Aug. 7th; good returning Aug. 8th.

Monticello, Ill., account Cook & Whitby's circus, round trip $1; sell Aug. 5th; good returning Aug. 6th.

Palmer, Ill., account Farmers' Picnic; round trip $1.50, sell July 27th; good returning July 28th.

Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss. In the Circuit Court.
MACON COUNTY. }

Erie M. Shaffer et al. Ex Parte—No. 14404—Bill for Partition.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, entered at the June term A. D. 1893, in the above entitled cause, I James J. Finn, Master in Chancery of said court, will on Saturday July 29, 1893 at the hour of 3 o'clock p. m. offer for sale to the highest and best bidder at a public vendue the property in said decree ordered to be sold, being described as follows to-wit: 56 feet off of the east side of lot 11, and four feet off of the west side of lot 12, all in block 1, of Yates & King's addition to the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois.

TERMS OF SALE. One half cash in hand on day of sale, balance in one year. Deferred payments to bear 6 per cent interest per annum, and be secured by note and mortgage of the property sold, and also by approved personal security.

Dated this 1st day of July A. D., 1893.

JAMES J. FINN,
Master in Chancery.

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A New and Complete Treatment, consisting of SUPPOSITORIES, Capsules of Ointment and two Boxes of Ointment. A never-failing Cure for Piles of every nature and degree. It makes an operation with the knife or injections of carbolic acid, which are painful and seldom a permanent cure, and often resulting in death, unnecessary. Why endure this terrible disease? We guarantee 6 boxes to cure any case. You only pay for benefits received. $1 a box, 6 for $5 by mail. Samples free. Guarantees issued by our agents.

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Six Pounds for $1.00.

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WEDNESDAY EVE., JULY 26, 1893.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

DENZ & SON, tailors.

BEEF malt with celery at Dawson's Pharmacy.

COURT will be in session again Tuesday, August 1st.

MRS. LANGTRY meditates another American tour next winter.

STICKY and Poison Fly paper at Dawson's, successor to Swearingen.

THE old soldiers are keeping their eyes on all pension legislation and rulings made by the Democrats.

ONE of the best suits for $9.90 at Geo. W. Jones & Co.'s. july17-d&wtf

JOHN LLOYD is now on the day run as motoneer on the Edward street branch of the street car system.

DID you get one of those $9.90 suits yet at Geo. W. Jones & Co.'s, if not, why not? july17-d&dwtf

DEAL with Philip Kemper at 757 North Water street. He carries splendid family groceries and fruits.

CALL at Towne & Murphey's handy store, 143 South Water street, and select fine groceries and fresh country butter.

YOU can buy a rattan baby buggy with steel wheels for $3.50 at Bachman Bros. & Martin Co.'s special sale. ju23-dtf

A. H. MILLS will soon be out with a fine family surrey. Yesterday he bought a gentle sorrel horse, "Frank," from his brother, I. R. Mills.

THOSE celebrated Haines Upright pianos, just the thing for the parlor or concert hall, are on sale only at the C. B. Prescott music house.

WE are bound to sell our baby buggies—the prices are so low that we have no competitors. Bachman Bros. & Martin Co. june23-dtf

THE Union Endeavor meeting that was to have been held last night was postponed. Probably until next Tuesday evening, at the same place.

ALL the talk in the world will not convince you so quickly as one trial of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for scalds, burns, bruises, skin affection and piles.

THERE will be special services at the Church of God next Sunday. Rev. E. H. Baker, the evangelist, and Rev. Fritter, pastor of the church at Findlay, will assist in the services.

YOU will miss it if you let those sales on all summer supplies slip you this month at Geo. W. Jones & Co.'s. july17-d&wtf

THE Illinois Railroad and Warehouse commissioners will soon make a tour of the roads in the state. They will pass through Decatur over the Wabash from St. Louis to Chicago on August 9th, and again on August 16th from Evansville to Peoria over the P., D. & E. line.

JOHN YOUNG, at the REPUBLICAN office is the Decatur agent for the Remington typewriter. Call for catalogues and prices. dtf

THE third annual picnic of the Buckhart Anti-Horsethief association will be held at Schneider grove, north of Taylorville, on Saturday, August 12th, at which the horse companies of the different districts of Christian county will give a grand parade.

ASK your neighbor what kind of a suit he got at Geo. W. Jones & Co.'s for $9.90 and come early and get one before they are all gone. july17-d&wtf

WE could not improve the quality if paid double the price. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the best Salve that experience can produce, or that money can buy.

Use Shellabarger's
WHITE LOAF FLOUR.
It is the best.

WHY pay $25 for a baby buggy, when you can buy one for $15.00 at Bachman Bros. & Martin Co., equal to buggies sold by others at $25? june23-dtf

THE jaw-bone of a mastodon has been unearthed near Bluff Springs, not far from Virginia. It weighs 103 pounds and measures 44 by 21 inches. It contains four huge teeth. Several prehistoric relics of value have lately been found in that vicinity.

MALARIAL and other atmospheric influences are best counteracted by keeping the blood pure and vigorous with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. A little caution in this respect may prevent serious illness at this season. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the best all-the-year-round medicine in existence.

The Pride of Decatur,
WHITE LOAF FLOUR,
The Blue Ribbon brand.

THIRTY-SEVEN bald-headed men of Hoopeston have been invited by Mrs. George Ingle of that place to attend a dinner given in honor of her husband, who is also bald-headed. Among the toasts to be discussed will be: "There are no bald-headed idiots," and "There are no bald-headed women." Each guest is expected to occupy a front seat.

WELLS drove or bored, from two to thirty-six inches, walled with either brick or tile. For terms and prices call at O. R. Foster's grocery store, 1075 North Water street. m23-dtf

LITTLE vegetable health producers: DeWitt's Little Early Risers cure malarious disorders and regulate the stomach and bowels, which prevents headache and dizziness. W. F. Neisler.

THE Wabash company has arranged with the Hebard Express and Omnibus line to handle all baggage coming to Englewood at the rate of 50c for first and 25c for each additional trunk. The express company has opened headquarters in Englewood Station, and representatives will meet all trains to take care of the business. The Wabash people have taken this course to protect their patrons going to the World's Fair from [illegible]

IN THE GRAVE SIX WEEKS.

Prof. Seymour to Be Buried Alive at Rockford—Sure.

Much interest is being manifested here in the proposed attempt of Mind-Reader A. J. Seymour to be buried alive and remain in the ground while a crop of barley is sown, ripened and harvested over his grave. Dr. E. C. Dunn, of Rockford, having been selected to take charge of the test, was interviewed at his home. Andrew Seymour, a son of the professor, was also present at the interview, and expressed the belief that his father can successfully perform the feat.

Dr. Dunn said: "There is no question that this test can be performed. I have seen it performed successfully three times in India, at Allahabad, Delhi and Benares. There will be considerable preparation before the body is inhumed. For several days Seymour will be fed upon fat and heat-producing food. The object of this is to provide an excess of caloric. He will then throw himself into a cataleptic state, controlling the action of the lungs and heart. The lungs will then be filled with pure air to their utmost capacity and the tongue placed back and partially down the throat in such a manner as to completely close the aperture to the lungs. The nose, eyes, ears, etc., will be hermetically sealed with wax. A preparation of parraffine will be spread over the entire body to close the pores of the skin.

"The body will then be ready for burial. It will then be put in a casket much larger than would be used were he being buried for good. This will be placed inside of another casket and both will be perforated, in order that if any poisonous gases escape from the body, which we do not expect, they may make their escape and be absorbed by the soil. The interment will be made in a clay soil, because of its imperviousness to water.

"I think the professor insists on remaining under ground too long. We cannot ripen barley, even if we soak and sprout it beforehand, much under six weeks. Besides, if he was buried in a field, we might not be able to guard against curious mobs. My plan is to rent a vacant house and make the interment in the cellar in the presence of witnesses, having two responsible persons guard the grave day and night. I would rather not leave him under ground more than four weeks, although he has insisted on remaining longer."

The doctor added that the feat can be accomplished as easily as a bear can hibernate during the winter season. The test will be made probably before August 1st, either in Rockford or Chicago. Seymour will go on with his arrangements. He carries $10,000 insurance on his life. One of the companies wrote him that if he attempted the feat the policy would be canceled, but the doctor declares this will not prevent the test.

The Chemnitz Consulate.

This office is in receipt of a tabulated statement from the office of Consul Barnes at Chemnitz, Germany, which shows the declared value of exports from the consular district of Chemnitz to the United States during the four quarters of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1893.

For the quarter ending September 30, 1892 the total value of exports was $1,523,749.78 as against $1,579,512.24 for the same period the year before.

The total value of exports for the quarter ending December 31, 1892 was $1,802,709.07 as against $1,926,012.84 for the corresponding period of the previous year.

The total value of exports for the quarter ending March 31, 1893 was $2,256,974.77 as against $2,188,795,14 for same period of the preceding year.

The total value of exports for the quarter ending June 30, 1893 was $1,501,740.93 as against $1,267,000.00 for same period of previous year.

The last two quarters, which belong to Consul Barnes' administration, show an increase over the same period of the year before of $302,920.56. He evidently intends to leave his job in good shape.

Contracts Awarded.

The Board of Education met yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the High school building, to consider bids for painting and calcimining the different school buildings. In the absence of Supt. Gastman Mrs. M. Stafford acted as clerk. Bids for the work were received from Boyd & Strasbaugh, Decatur Painting Co. and J. B. Ehrhart. Contracts were awarded the lowest bidders as follows: Sangamon street school, calcimining, Boyd & Strasbaugh; painting, Decatur Painting Co.; Church street school, painting, Decatur Painting Co.; Jones' school, painting, J. B. Ehrhart. Jackson street school, painting, J. B. Ehrhart; High School, painting, etc., complete, J. B. Ehrhart; Wood street school, painting, etc., complete, J. B. Ehrhart. The contract for removing the old fence at the High school and putting up the new iron fence was awarded to I. G. Hofffman.

Cause of Pat's Death.

In the mail this morning George A. Keller received a statement setting forth the cause of the death of *Pat Delaney*, the pacer, owned by the Brenneman Bros. The horse died Sunday at Blue Island, near Chicago. Driver Houston saw the attending veterinary surgeon, Dr. W. S. Brayton, who wrote that the horse died of nervous prostration, caused from acute inflammation of the stomach, caused by partial or complete rupture of the stomach. The other Brenneman horses are now at Joliet.

In Place Again.

The door which was badly damaged by the mob at the county jail the night of June 2 and 3, when Sam Bush was lynched, has been repaired by William Bold and is again in place as sound as ever. The lower panel had to be taken out and a new one put in. Sheriff Perl says the door is now as good as new.

Dismissed.

Ed. Poor son of Constable Poor, arrested on a charge of assault on complaint of J. C. Robinson, had a hearing in Justice Shorb's court yesterday afternoon, City Attorney Lee appearing for the prosecution. The 'Squire was satisfied that Robinson was the aggressor in the little scrap and Poor was discharged.

Social.

The Ladies' Aid society of Grace M. E. church will give a social at the residence of Mrs. John Kine, 719 North Main street, to-morrow (Thursday) evening. Ice cream, cake and lemonade served on the lawn. Everybody invited.

CONTENTION ABOUT SUNDAY OPENING.

Judge Stein Will Interview the World's Fair Managers on Thursday Next.

Judge Stein yesterday morning, with the mutual agreement of council on both sides, named Thursday next at 9:30 o'clock as the time for hearing Mr. Clingman's case against the members of the World's Columbian Exposition. He also ordered a rule to issue against Director General George R. Davis, President H. N. Higinbotham, J. W. St. Clair, Charles Schwab, W. D. Kerfoot, Lyman J. Gage, Charles Henrotin, C. L. Hutchinson, A. Nathan, Victor F. Lawson, Andrew McNally and Edwin Walker, requesting them to show cause why they are not in contempt of the court's order in allowing the gates of the Columbian Exposition to be closed on Sunday.

Attorney Eddy, who appeared for the Exposition, acquiesced in the setting of another time for the hearing, but contended that Clingman's injunction was defective in that it had been dissolved by the amendment of the original bill. The injunction which Mr. Clingman accused the directors of violating, he insisted, had been amended by making the people of the state of Illinois a party complainant by the attorney general. He offered to cite authorities, but Judge Stein told him to wait until next Thursday.

The country has become heartily tired of the Sunday-closing contention, and would like to see it dropped.

A BETTER BRAKE.

Need of an Improved Method of Stopping Street Cars.

A brake is essentially an apparatus or device which serves the purpose of retarding the motion of the car or other vehicle. In other words, the brake is simply used for gradually preventing the inertia of the moving car from acting. Friction upon the periphery of the car wheel has been the means employed, and, as a matter of fact, this seems the only feasible manner of diminishing the acquired speed. But the brake now in use cannot immediately stop the car; a minimum distance, when a car is traveling at about eight or ten miles per hour, in which all motion is arrested, is about forty feet, or nearly twice the length of the car. This is satisfactory for ordinary use, but when danger is imminent, we want something better than this. Not an immediate stop, of course, for that is almost impossible, and the effects would be little better than a collision, but a brake whose action is automatic, rapid and safe. This would prevent many of such accidents as have occasionally occurred here.

The Crop Outlook.

In the northern and central counties of the state, the temperature of the past seven days has been generally above the normal, while in the southern division it has ranged from about 1 to 3 degrees daily below. The percentage of sunshine has been generally in excess of a seasonable amount. Except in a few of the extreme southern counties, where local showers occurred on the 19th and 20th, there has been an entire absence of rain during the week. Like the preceding week, while the conditions have continued favorable for farm work, they have injuriously affected the growing crops. A general rain would be of the greatest benefit to all vegetation.

Wheat harvesting is now practically completed, and threshing is progressing in the central and southern counties, but the yield and quality of the grain generally is a great disappointment to farmers. In some sections of the southern division the yield has been very fair and quality good. Corn on light soil is reported injured by the continued drouth; many fields are badly fired; it is feared the crop will be cut short; on good soil, however, it remains generally in good condition but needs rain. Chinch bugs are damaging the corn in some localities. Hay harvesting is about completed; while many reports give a light yield, an immense crop has been harvested in some sections. Rye cutting is also about finished. Pastures are burning up and need rain badly. Blackberries are reported drying up, and apples and peaches are still dropping from the trees. Some complaints have been received of dry rot in the potatoes and tomatoes. Oats harvesting is still progressing in the northern counties, but owing to rust the yield will be l[illegible]an was anticipated some week[illegible]everal correspondents report [illegible] oats having been cut green on [illegible]nt of the army worm.

The Warren Insurance Agency.

The business of insurance of the late firm of Warren and Durfee will be continued by its successor, the undersigned, under the name of "The Warren Insurance Agency." Mr. H. L. Oldham, who was made manager with an interest, January 1, 1893, will continue in same capacity, having the additional authority to sign policies and endowments. The agency is in its 31th year.

Decatur, Ill., July 22, 1893.

JOHN K. WARREN.
H. L. OLDHAM.

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J. J. FLUX, butcher, has sued W. R. Jewell, postmaster at Danville, for $50 damages, alleged to be sustained by the late delivery of a postal card sent him on business from Alvan. Flux claims that the postal card came to the Danville postoffice on the day it was mailed at Alvan, and it was delivered at his residence nearly a week afterward, thereby causing a loss to him of the amount sued for.

Take Warning.

If you must smoke try one of Huffman's "Cabarets" or "Little Rip" cigars. Hand-made, Long Havana filler. Sold everywhere. June 24-dtf

ALL that honesty, experience and skill can do to produce a perfect pill, has been employed in making DeWitt's Little Early Risers. The result is a specific for sick headache, biliousness and constipation. W. F. Neisler.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

[*From Our Regular Correspondent.*]

WASHINGTON, July 24, 1893.

It takes very lively hustling these days to keep up with the changes in the plans of the administration. The announcement was made months ago that the administration in conjunction with several eminent free-traders intended to prepare a tariff bill and that Secretary Carlisle's supposed knowledge on the subject was the principal reason for his having been made Secretary of the Treasury. His best friends never claimed that he was selected for his financial knowledge; they couldn't, because he had none. This was printed in all the administration papers and was never denied until now, when Secretary Carlisle says that no tariff bill is being prepared, and that neither he nor President Cleveland ever thought of doing anything which might be interpreted as an attempt to dictate to the House what it should do in regard to the tariff. He forgets, however, to tell why this statement was not made long ago, which makes the inference clear that the free-trade idea has been, for the time anyway, abandoned.

Comptroller Eckels wants to be Secretary of the Treasury—that young man has gall—and he is charged with having started the last rumor about the intended retirement of Secretary Carlisle because of a disagreement with Mr. Cleveland.

Secretary Carlisle denies very emphatically the rumor which came from New York, that he had been tendered the vacancy in the Supreme court caused by the death of Justice Blatchford. But when asked whether he would accept it if it were tendered to him he was discreetly silent, as becomes a man who would be very glad to let some other fellow hold up the financial end of the administration, if he could only read his title clear to a membership in the supreme court. His anxiety on the subject has not been lessened by the statement made several days ago by a friend of Secretary Gresham, and not up to this time contradicted, that Mr. Cleveland had promised that the influence of the administration should be exerted to make Gresham the Democratic presidential nominee in '96. Mr. Carlisle had been encouraging the bee to do a little buzzing around his head, but he knows there cannot be two administration candidates.

There is one set of Democrats in Washington who are not slow in expressing their dislike of the cheese-paring in the last Congress, on at least one of the appropriation bills. It is made up of the officials of the Post Office Department, who find themselves unable to meet the expectations of postmasters throughout the country in the matter of additional help, owing to the insufficiency of the appropriation. These officials are already getting some plain talk and it will probably become plainer when they shall have allotted the money at their disposal for increased help at the Presidential post offices. Some of the very Congressmen who were loudest in their demands for reduction when the appropriation was before Congress are now loudest in complaining because offices in their districts cannot get what has been asked for.

List of Patents.

Granted to Illinois inventors this week, reported by C. A. Snow & Co., solicitors of American and foreign patents, opposite U. S. patent office, Washington, D. C.: A. D. Berliner, Rock Island, electric belt; B. B. Bignall, Aurora, roof connection for ventilating-pipes; J. A. Brown, Moline, transmitter for telephones; G. Ertel, Quincy, brooder; W. L. Heberling, Havana, roofer's seaming tongs; F. W. Hoefer, Freeport, spring hinge; F. & C. A. Johnson, Rockford, gaming-machine; G. W. Johnston, Farmington, air-warming furnace; M. Kallenbach, Boody, elevator; D. H. King, Farmersville, churn; A. J. Lagerquist, Braceville, bridge-gate; G. W. Lanbaugh, Geneseo, clothes-pounder; J. S. Maring, Mason City, horse collar; W. B. Patterson, Secor, car coupling; W. Rowlinson, support for kitchen boilers; H. M. Sheer, Quincy, incubator.

Argenta News.

Mr. and Mrs. Bohrer, of Maroa, and Mrs. James Ireland, of Fairbury, Neb., were guests of W. H. Wikoff last Sunday.

Uncle Tom's Cabin showed in Dr. Carr's addition on Tuesday night. It is a commendable company.

Costello & Tyler are shelling and shipping their corn. They are dedicating their new elevator by this shipment.

S. O. Strever has contracted 30,000 bushels of oats for delivery before the 30th of August.

Oats are averaging a little over 30 lbs per measured bushel.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Keller attended a family reunion at Monticello on last Sunday.

Harry Kerr has begun his work of plastering the Armstrong store building.

The Odd Fellows of Argenta have a fishing party to-day at the Sangamon.

George and Henry Heinlz are starting out with a new Advance threshing outfit, including a self-feeder.

Bush Mahoney has just run out a new J. I. Case thresher.

July 26.

Wanted

Men with some capital, who are wide awake and know a good thing when they see it, to try one of Huffman's Cabaret or Little Rip cigars. They please the most fastidious epicures. Sold by all dealers. Manufactured at Huffman's North End Cigar Store, 1065 N. Water street. june12-dtf

Glass Blowers Show.

The W. M. Thompson Australian Glass Blowers' Show and Museum is located in the tent on the vacant lot on North Water street, north of the First M. E. church, and will continue this week. All articles made are given away. jy25-d1w

2 Cents

buys a graduated tumbler for measuring liquids from 1 to 8 teaspoonfuls, a very handy article for household use.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

MISS KIRBY SMITH, daughter of the famous Confederate leader, was only a fourth-class postmistress when she was given the office at Sewanee, Tenn., but she has managed it with such tact as to carry it into the Presidential class, and she now gets $1,807 a year out of it.

IF you can afford to be annoyed by sick headache and constipation, don't use DeWitt's Little Early Risers for these little pills will cure them. W. F. Neisler

Tan, Heliotrope,
French Terra Cotta,
Smoked Pearl.

LATEST COLORS IN INGRAINS, with beautiful 20 and 30 inch Frieze to match. *Do not be misled—they have not gone out of style.*

CONKLIN & [illegible]

+++ Wall P[illegible]

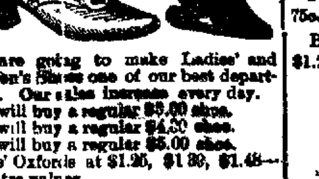
GOLD ❋ DOLLARS COMING!

IT may not be long till we have gold dollars in circulation instead of the bulky silver now in use. During all this cry of "hard times and scarcity of money," we are having a much better trade than a year ago. The people are finding out where to go to spend their money and obtain the best goods at reasonable prices.

Hot Weather Goods.

All 7½c Lawns cut to 5c.
All 8½c Challies at 5c.
Plaid India Linen at 10c.
Striped India Linen at at 12½c.
Black Organdie Lawns at 12½, 15, 20 and 25c yd.
Plain India Linens at 8⅓, 10, 12½, 15, 20 and 25c.
50c Table Linen at 39c.
75c Table Linens at 48c.
7c Muslin at 5c yd.
12½c Outing Remnants at 7c.
Double width Lining Cambric at 2½c, formerly 8c yd.

SHOES.



We are going to make Ladies' and Children's Shoes one of our best departments. Our sales increase every day.
$1.98 will buy a regular $3.00 shoe.
$2 48 will buy a regular $4.00 shoe.
$3.95 will buy a regular $5.00 shoe.
Ladies' Oxfords at $1.25, $1 39, $1.48—extra values.
Children's Shoes at all prices, in Button and Low Styles.
Men's Shoes being closed out at prices that will make them sell.

If you wear shoes give us a call and we will try to please you.

Pongee Cloth at 10c.

We will put on sale to-day a big lot of (light colored) Remnants of Pongee at 10c, worth fully 15c.

CARPETS.

We have made a success of our Carpet Department. Prices and the best goods do the work together. When you can buy the very best Ingrains at 65 and 69c you are saving some good money.

Other Ingrains at 33, 38, 44, 48, 59, 65, and 69c a yard.

Hemp Carpets at 18, 19 and 23c this week.

Rugs go cheap this week. Prices 98c, $1.98 and $2.48. See them.

LADIES' WAISTS.

We are showing a good assortment of Ladies' Waists.

Plain White Waists, two kinds on sale; one kind at 50c and one kind at $1.00 each.

Printed India Linen Waists at 69c and 75c.

Black Sateen Waists at 75c, $1.00 & $1.25.

WHITE SHIR[illegible]

SPECIAL SALE.

75c quality Shirts at 50c.
[illegible]c quality Shirts at 39c.

We hear this every day from customers:

"You folks are always busy [illegible]

Other stores are complaining [illegible] ness. It means that we are giving best values.

COME and you will [illegible] always.

[illegible] just the hot weather,

CHAS. T. JOHNSTON,

151 North Water Street.

KEEP COOL!

The proper way to keep cool is to provide yourself with suitable clothing. Our stock of Hot Weather Clothing and Furnishings for this season is the largest and most varied we have ever shown.

Skeleton Make Coats and Vests,

In Alpaca, Serge, Mohair, Flannel, Drap d'ete and unfinished worsted materials, Black, Blue and Tan Shades, in slim, stout, extra long and regular make.

Fancy Vests,

In Silk, Worsted and Wash Goods, double and single breasted.

UNDERWEAR AND HOSIERY,

in Endless Variety.

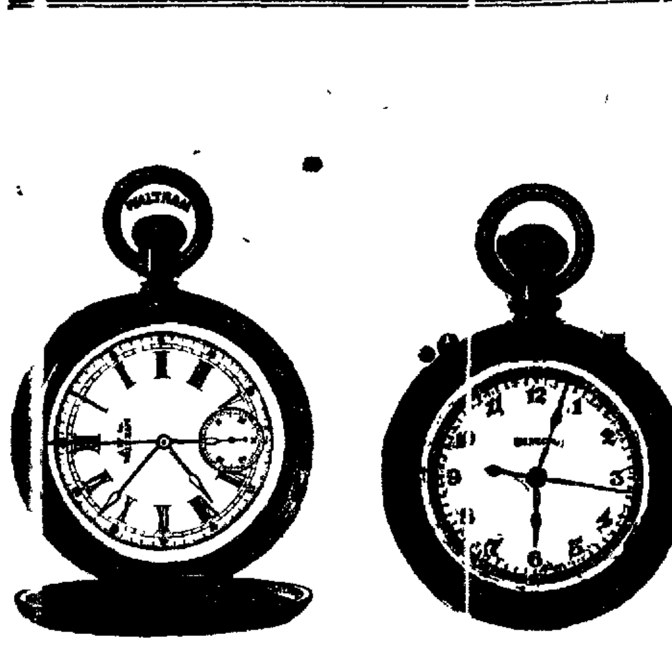
Negligee Shirts,

Laundried, Half Laundried and SOFT.

STRAW HATS

A Complete Line, in All the Latest Braids.

CHEAP CHARLEY.



BEFORE THE RACES

Commence, See Our Line of

HORSE TIMERS,

SPLIT SECONDS,

5 Minute Repeaters

With Chronograph, Etc.

you own a fine horse you will be interested in these goods.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.,

Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China

FURNITURE!

During July we will make

SPECIAL LOW PRICES

On Everything to Reduce Stock.

EASY PAYMENTS, OR CASH.

HARRY FISK,

Court House Block.

LAWN TENNIS

Full line of the BEST GOODS. SPECIAL RATES made to clubs. We have also some EXTRA FINE RACKETS that we are selling at greatly reduced prices. CROQUET—4, 6 and 8 Ball Sets Professional Sets, with Nine-Inch Mallets

HAMMOCKS! HAMMOCKS! at all prices.

J. Edward Saxton

POST OFFICE BOOK STORE.

NATATORIUM ❀❀ RIVERSIDE PARK.

TAKE A REFRESHING BATH.

The Natatorium is supplied with clear and beautiful Spring Water, heated to the proper temperature.
The Natatorium is open to the public every day and evening.

BATHING HOURS.

Ladies and Children	9 a. m. to 12 m.
Gentlemen and Boys	1 to 5 and 7 to 10 p. m.
Family Hours	5 to 7 p. m.

TERMS.

General Admission	25c
Children under 12 years	15c
Season Tickets	$5.00

[illegible] MILLS, Owner.

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

KEEP OFF CHOLERA

By Cleaning up
And Using
Disinfectants.

We Keep the Best to be Had.

KING & WOOD,
Druggists.

WEDNESDAY EVE., JULY 26, 1893.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Great Clearance Sale.

We have inaugurated a great clearance sale of all our odds and ends in china and glass. We have cut the price in two and we want you to come and see what we have got to offer you to close out these goods. It is not "rubbish," but fresh, new goods in broken lots.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

DIES & SON, tailors.

TEETH, $7—Hoskins & Moore, dentists

DELICIOUS Ice Cream Soda at Dawson's.

FOR the best grade of perfumes go to Irwin's.

A NEW line of fine tablets at Dawson's book store.

LARGE line of face powders at Irwin's drug store.

HAMMOCKS at Dawson's book store, successor to Robinson.

PRESCRIPTIONS prepared by practical pharmacists at Irwin's.

YOU will like the famous Little Rose and Bouquet cigars. Try them.

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Housum's, in Library Block.

SMOKE the popular Little Rose and Bouquet cigars. You will like them.

THE Shellabarger mill is to-day paying 55 cents for best wheat. july 25-tf

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Housum's, in Library Block.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25dtf

Boom Decatur
by using
White Loaf Flour.

ALL our 12 and $15 suits go at $9 90 this month. Call early. Geo. W. Jones & Co. july 17-d&wtf

THOSE fancy vests and negligee shirts on sale at Cheap Charley's store are beauties. Buy there.

SEE the big ape at the Thompson glass blowing show and museum in the tent north of the First M. E. church.

WE guarantee Monarch mixed paints equal to any paint in the city. At Dawson's, successor to Swearingen.

TO-DAY Justice Peddecord issued warrants for the arrest of two girls who persist in throwing slops out of a window on the south side of Central Park.

WHITE
LOAF
FLOUR
The Best.

The large 60x100-foot barn of William Moore, near Humbolt, was destroyed by fire Monday night, together with a lot of implements, hay and about fifteen tons of broom corn. No insurance.

AN investigation is in progress to-day at the Central House by the officials of the Illinois Central and Vandalia roads in regard to the recent collisions of the switch engines at William street.

CAPTAIN COLLADAY will drill the members of Company H in the extended order to-night. All members are ordered to report at 7 30, as the company will start for the drill ground promptly at 8 o'clock

THE damage case of Jacob Tidrow and wife vs. George Hiser was heard by Justice Peddecord, and a judgment for $8 was given Tidrow. I. D. Walker appeared for the plaintiff and J. M. Gray for the defendant.

THIS morning the infant son of Charles Mauritz, aged 4 months, died at the family residence, 1149 East Condit street. The funeral will be held at 2 p. m. tomorrow from the residence, Rev. J. W. Lessman officiating.

A LADY, whose hair came out with every combing, was induced to give Ayer's Hair Vigor a faithful trial. She did so, and not only was the loss of her hair checked, but a new and vigorous growth soon succeeded that which had gone.

THE lawn sociable which was to have been given by the Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eichinger last night was postponed until to-night because of the rain. The sociable will be given to-night and refreshments will be served. Good music.

IN the county court this morning Judge Nelson heard arguments for a new trial in the assumpsit case of Hollis & Co. vs. W. P. Hunter. Attorney Harris spoke for the plaintiff and Attorney Walker for the defendant. Judge Nelson said that unless something happened before August 4th he would give his decision. The verdict of the jury was against Hunter for $335. The defendant thinks the verdict excessive.

MR. HEADED, an Assyrian mill hand at Springfield, was in the city to-day looking after Mary Williams, the Assyrian peddler, who became involved with Geo. Thomas in spiriting away $280 misplaced by Frank Murray. The woman is in jail now in default of $250 bail. She has Assyrian friends at Springfield. They will furnish bail to secure her release. Attorney Walker has been employed by Headed to look after the case.

THE PYTHIANS COMING.

They Will Flock at Decatur in the Month of October.

In the Chicago *Knight Errant*, the Knights of Pythias journal, appears this reference to the state convention of the order to be held in Decatur during the month of October:

All Illinois Pythians are of course aware that the next session of the grand lodge of the state is to be held at the city of Decatur, a right good place, and a place where the people of the town take some interest in their coming; a place, too, where the interests of the order will not have to be subordinated to the feuds of the Pythian O'Briens and O'Tooles, but where those who invited the body are intent on making the welcome hearty, genuine and unbounded.

It's a great town, is Decatur. If one were to believe Dillehunt (and of all the faithful followers of Ananias in Decatur he is said to be the most truthful) Decatur is the hub of Illinois; from it radiates the railroad system of these United States, and like the far-famed Zenith City, pictured by Proctor Knott, it is destined soon to outstrip the center of creation, at present located at the southern shores of Lake Michigan.

Discounting, however, just a *leetle* bit the Dillehuntine eulogium, with its fourteen story hotels, terrapin, quail and canvas back ducks, there can be no *doubt about it* that the *Decatur folks* mean to do the proper thing by the visitors, and will spare neither time, money nor effort in catering to their comfort during the session; their heart is in it, their hand is open, and their disposition is in the direction of *doing the best they know how*—and they know how right smart. After all it is *willingness* to do, and the heart that beats behind it, that goes to make these occasions pleasant, more than the tinsel and glitter.

A STUPID VERDICT.

Plenty of Rank Criticism of the Decision in the Newby Case.

SPRINGFIELD, July 25.—The arguments for a new trial in the Newby case will be heard in the United States court to-morrow morning. Judge Kramer, of Fairfield, will make the argument for the defendant. There is a good deal of feeling over the matter, old soldiers especially believing that a rank injustice has been done to one of their number. There is some criticism over the fact that important testimony was ruled out which would have been invaluable to the defense. Many people go so far as to say that a more stupid verdict was never rendered by a jury. The sentiment here almost universally condemns the decision reached.

NO DECISION YET.

SPRINGFIELD, July 26.—[Special.]—There is no decision yet by Judge Allen on the motion for a new trial in the Newby case. Probably it will be given on Thursday.

Placed in the Vault.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Jennie B. Phelps took place last evening at 4.30 o'clock from the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Baker, on West Decatur street, in the presence of a large number of friends. Rev. W. H. Penhallegon, of the First Presbyterian church, conducted the services. The singing was by a special choir. The body was placed in the Bullard vault at Greenwood cemetery, where it will remain until the grave, which is to be walled up with brick and cement, is prepared for its reception.

The deceased was the owner of 400 acres of fine farming land in Henderson county, Ill., city property in Des Moines, Iowa, and three houses and lots in Decatur on North Union street.

Thornton & Son May Pay Out

The assignees of W. F. Thornton & Son, bankers, at Shelbyville, made their statement Monday, which shows a better state of things than was expected. The liabilities are $583,861.58, with assets as follows: Real estate, $265,000; bonds and cash, $116,461.86; personal property, $3,616; loans, discounts and overdrafts, $328,321 30; total, $713,399.16, less doubtful notes for $120,000. The assignees say they hope to satisfy the creditors in full, but claim the indulgence of creditors and time to realize on the property.

Conductor Is Killed.

A freight train on the St. Louis, Chicago & St. Paul railroad broke through a trestle seven miles above Alton yesterday, making a bad wreck, killing the conductor, William E. Barrell, of Trenton, Mo., and badly, perhaps fatally, injuring the three brakemen, Chas. Johnson, of Upper Alton, Walter Manning and W. A. Clements, of Springfield, Ill. The cars were mostly loaded with flour, and the loss is $15,000.

Funeral Notice.

The remains of the late Winthrop Gastman arrived in Decatur this morning from Pueblo, Col., accompanied by Mr. E. A. Gastman. The funeral will be held this evening at 5 o'clock at the family residence, 464 West North street. Services will be conducted by Rev. C. E. Torrey of the Baptist church, and by Rev. T. A. Parker of the First M. E. church. Burial in Greenwood cemetery.

The Rain—It Was General.

We thought we had a good rain yesterday afternoon, but a heavier and better one came after 7 o'clock in the evening. It lasted over an hour. Farmers say it was general throughout the county.

The high wind of the afternoon blew part of the roof off Henry Martin's barn, north of Decatur. A few shade trees were blown over in the city.

End of a Rate War.

The rate war which has existed for the last few weeks between the Chicago and Alton, Wabash, and the Jacksonville Southeastern roads at Jacksonville came to a close at midnight. The rate, as now fixed to Chicago and return, is $8.25, instead of $2.50. It is estimated that 1,500 people have gone to Chicago from Jacksonville during the cut rate.

After Damages.

Mrs. Donovan, of Assumption, widow of Thomas Donovan, the Illinois Central section foreman, struck and killed by a Central train June 12th, four miles north of Decatur, was in Decatur to-day. She employed Attorney Laforgee to bring suit against the railroad company to recover damages. The suit will be for at least $5,000.

VICTORY FOR DECATUR.

Prof. Curt Toll and His Class Win at the Milwaukee Turnfest.

Awarded a Laurel Wreath and a Diploma—Coming Home Sunday Afternoon.

When Prof. Curt Toll, the teacher, and the Decatur class of the Turnverein, arrive home from Milwaukee and Chicago Sunday afternoon they will be given an enthusiastic reception by the local society and Decatur people generally. The class has been attending the National Turnfest at Milwaukee and participated in all of the contests. They came out of the contests in the first-class list. This telegram which tells the story in brief was received this forenoon:

MILWAUKEE, WIS., July 26.
W. Steinbach, Decatur, Ill.:
First-class prize—wreath with diploma. Knocked out Peoria. Hurrah!
FRANZ YOUNG

And the REPUBLICAN and all admirers of skill in athletics in Decatur shout "Hurrah!" too. The capture of the laurel wreath and diploma as well means a great victory for our turner society. It is the highest award, and the victory for Decatur at Milwaukee places the Decatur Turnverein at the head of all the societies within the boundary of the Central *Illinois Bezirk*. This fact makes the achievement all the more noteworthy, as it shuts out Peoria for at least one year. Decatur is the leader. Germans all around town are rejoicing over the victory, and they will keep it up indefinitely. The names of the winners are as follows: Curt Toll, Albert Buebsamen, Harry Shlaudeman, Franz Young, Will Denz, William Graham, John Schwartz, Fred Buchart, Will Hambrecht, George Lichtenberger, Harry Rainey, T. Butzbach, Carl Walters, Will Campbell, Charles Segien and Will Tiederman.

Preparations are now in progress for the reception to be given the victors on their return to Decatur. They will arrive Sunday afternoon from Chicago, and will be met at the train by the Turners and Goodman's Band. There will be a big picnic—you bet.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Dr. S. H. Swain is in Mt. Zion to-day.

Senator Manecke is in the city to-day.

Fred Mueller has returned from Chicago.

C. M. Atterbury has returned from Litchfield.

Dr. M. Brandom is in Ramsey to day on business.

Bert Colby has returned from the World's Fair.

John K. Warren returned this morning from Chicago.

Rev. Thomas Finn, of Chicago, is in the city visiting his parents.

E. S. McCartey and Hon. B. K. Durfee left last night for Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Marcott have returned from their northern trip.

Mrs. Peck, of Williamsport, Pa., is in the city visiting Mrs. J. E. Bering.

State's Attorney Mills is in Chicago. He will return to-morrow at 10:30 o'clock.

J. W. Porter and daughter, of Litchfield, Kan., are at the Hotel Brunswick.

George Rupert, gunsmith at the H. Mueller Gun company, is on the sick list.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Harris, 1548 North Calhoun street, July 25, a son.

Rev. C E. Torrey E S McClelland and Leo Heilbrun are home from Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs T. L Beveridge left today for Springfield, where they will reside.

Mrs George Hunsley and son returned to-day from a visit with relatives at Cisco.

Hon. C. A. Ewing is still confined to his home by illness. He is no worse and no better.

Misses Rosa and May Bialock, of Walla, Wash., left to-day for Mt. Zion to visit relatives.

Mrs. George Spence, after a visit with Decatur relatives, left to-day for her home in Chicago.

Mrs. O. Peters is spending two weeks with her mother at Marion, Ind, for a much-needed rest.

The little two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson, of North Broadway street, is very sick.

D. A. Bryan is temporarily engaged as book-keeper at W. F. Neisler's Pharmacy, Library Block.

W. R Scruggs is at Rochester, N. Y., attending Mrs. Scruggs, who has been seriously ill for several weeks.

Mrs. Walmsley and daughter, Miss Madge, of Terre Haute, are in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Saxton.

Mrs. Emma McKennie, daughter-in-law of L. H. McKinnie, arrived home last evening from Christian county.

Mrs. Lou Getinge, after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Eli Branneman, left yesterday for her home in Watertown, N. Y.

E. W. Wood, A. J. Wood, H. M. Wood, H. A. Wood, C. A. Pollock and families are picnicing at Boiling Springs to-day.

Ralph Taggart, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Taggart, has returned from an extended visit in Chicago and the World's Fair.

Mrs. H. C. Anthony, who has been quite sick for the past couple days at her home in Millikin Place, is now somewhat improved.

Mrs. Clarence Wait accompanied Attorney and Mrs. Schroll on their trip to Lincoln, Neb. Mr. Wait will join them at Lincoln.

Mrs. F. O. Greene and son of Effingham arrived in the city to-day to visit S. Allsup and family. To-night they will leave for Manitou Springs, Colo., on business.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Spence, at Effingham, on Tuesday, July 25—a daughter. Mr. Spence, who was formerly with the American Express Company in this city, is now agent for the company at Effingham.

CUT TO THE BONE.

The Sad Experience of Those Who Use Sharp Knives.

While waiting on a customer the manager cut a choice steak to the bone at the new meat market, No. 209 North Main street.

Fires.

The fine farm residence of Frank Rimerman and contents, near Lincoln, were destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon, entailing a loss of $3000, partially covered by insurance.

MARRIED.

At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Carl's Neil, on South Broadway, July 25th, at 7:30 p. m. by Rev. J. A. F. King, Mr. Charles W. Miller, of Effingham, and Miss Ella F. Neil, of Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller will depart to-day for Effingham, where they will make their future home.

ILLINOIS MINES AND MINERS.

Assistant Secretary Seib Starts To-Day to Gather Some Important Dates.

Assistant Secretary Seib of the State Bureau of Labor Statistics started today from Springfield on an extended tour over the state for the purpose of gathering statistics for the annual report of the coal industry of the state. It is sought to obtain information concerning the wages, expenses and condition generally of the miners and other wage earners in and about the mines. To that end, a printed schedule has been prepared, to be filled out by each individual miner, upon the guaranty that "the names of those furnishing the information will be treated as strictly confidential and will not appear in the printed reports." The miner is asked to state his name, age, residence and country where born; name of person, firm or company by whom employed; character of the work, whether living at home, boarding house or private family; whether married, single or widower; number of persons dependent upon him; if living at home, number of persons in family; number of rooms occupied and whether owned or rented; if rented, whether from employer; amount paid for rent per year; how many tenants in the building; ordinary hours of labor per day; also, per week; earnings from July 1, 1892 to July 1, 1892; expense for powder, oil, sharpening tools and other necessary material in prosecuting work for the same period; whether a member of a labor organization; whether employer objects to labor organizations; what means, if any, are employed to prevent men from organizing; whether the employer conducts a company (truck) store, and whether employes are required to trade there. A *number of blank lines are appended for* any additional remarks which the miner may wish to make.

THE WORLD'S CHAMPIONS

At Riverside Park Theatre To-Night.

On account of the extremely stormy weather last evening, it was impossible to open Riverside Park Theatre. In spite of the rough weather a very large crowd was present seeking admission. The famous Six Pardos and Company will appear to-night and every night this week. The Grand Opera House Orchestra will be in attendance and many popular selections will be rendered during the entertainment. The fame of these wonderful Pardos has already spread throughout the city. No other attraction has ever appeared in the city that has created so much talk. Their marvelous feats on the bicycles, their thrilling acrobatic feats and the many pleasing specialties introduced by other members of the company has made them already popular in the city and they will undoubtly be greeted with very large crowds the balance of the week. Enough can hardly be said of the sterling ability of this world-wide famous Pardo family. Every mother and father should take their children to see the infant phenominal actors, Master Fred and his little sisters. They are a lesson of perseverance and energy to young and old. Baby Fred the 2-year old clown is far superior and causes more merriment than most clowns in advanced years with the largest circuses. The sky borders on the stage of the theatre that prevented Mr. Pardo *from doing his extraordinary* act with the perch in the teeth, have been removed so that they will be able to execute this wonderful feat at every performance. Aside from the wonderful performance of the Pardos, the singing and dancing of La Petite Flori—known as the world's greatest prima donna, is alone worth the price of admission.

Big Picnic.

The greatest event of the season will be the Farmers's picnic at Palmer, nine miles southwest of Taylorville, on Thursday, which has been so extensively advertised by the Secretary, Mr. Q. I. Simpson. These picnics, which are held annually, are peculiarly attractive, drawing immense crowds of people each year. Palmer is beautifully located in the center of a rich agricultural district, and her business men leave nothing undone that will add to the comfort and enjoyment of the people. The best of speakers have been engaged, among them being Richard Yates, of Jacksonville; Hon. R. B. Shirley, of Carlinville; Judge Amos Miller, of Montgomery county, and Hon. E. E. Taubeneck, of Mount Vernon.

Rewards Offered.

We will pay a liberal reward to the party who returns No. 76,812 Special Singer Bicycle, with cushion tires, to No 134 East Prairie avenue. The wheel was rented Saturday, July 22, by a young man about 20 years of age. He gave his name as Andrew Richards, Beecher City, Ill. A reward is also offered for the apprehension and conviction of the above named individual.

H. MUELLER GUN CO.,
jy26-d&w1t Decatur, Ill.

Removal.

We have removed to our new quarters, 258 North Main street, where we are now prepared to furnish incandescent globes, electric light fixtures of any kind, or to contract wiring of business houses and residences. We are now prepared to contract for arc and incandescent lighting, and will give close figures on wiring business houses and dwellings. We do no free wiring. We assure all that we have a very superior and absolutely dependable service, and solicit a share of the patronage of the public.

26-d1w. MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC CO.

3 Cents.

Get some of those sauce dishes, mugs and other articles at the above price.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

Decatur Won.

The result of the ball game at Champaign yesterday was—Decatur, 12; Champaign, 8.

BUSINESS of importance will receive attention at the W. C. T. U. meeting to be held to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

ATTENTION, SIR KNIGHTS.

You are ordered to appear at your armory tonight at 8 o'clock promptly, in fatigue uniform, for special drill on the campus, after which refreshments will be served. By order of

C. C. STODDARD, S. K. Capt.
C. O. YOUNG, Guard.

One word describes it—"perfection." We refer to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cures obstinate sores, burns, skin diseases and is a well known cure for piles. W. F. Neisler.

DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder.

[illegible] It is well known to as [illegible] who have proved up [illegible] so much was required of [illegible] of Tartar Powder.—No Ammonia; No Alum [illegible] peared the government [illegible] Years the Standard [illegible] prevent them from securing [illegible]

Linn & Scruggs

DRY GOODS & CARPET CO.

Importers & Retailers. Decatur.

SPECIALS

For This Week.

37 pieces East Black Dress Lawn, formerly sold at 20c, Sale price, 9c.

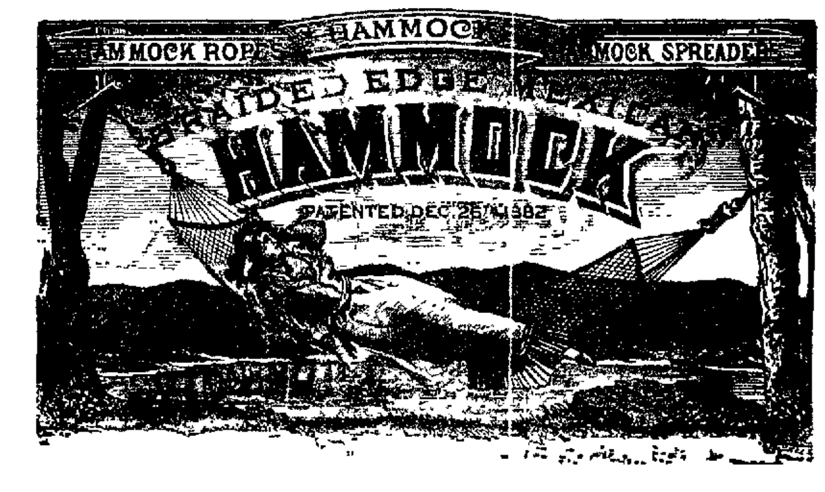
50 pieces Plain Cotton Crepon, in all light colors, formerly sold at 20c, at 12½c.

37 pieces Figured Cotton Crepon, in all Fancy shades, formerly sold 20c, at 12½c.

1,000 Remnants Cotton Fabrics for Dresses, in all styles, lengths from 3 to 15 yards Sale price, 5c a yard up.

15 pieces Dotted Swiss, White, - - - 28c.

+PARASOLS AT HALF PRICE.+



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AMMUNITION---The best Loaded Shell on the market, Quick, Clean and Strong.

ALL KINDS OF SPORTING GOODS---Special Prices for the Next Thirty Days. ● ● ●

When you get our prices on BICYCLES you will find they are World-Beaters.

H. MUELLER GUN CO.,

134 East Prairie Avenue.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to J. T. Roberts, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following F. G. Logan & Co.'s market letter received over the Roberts private wire; also market quotations

CHICAGO, Ill., July 26, 1893.

ARTICLES.	Opening.	High'st	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
July	....	....	....	62¾
Aug	....	....	....	62¾
Sep	66	66⅜	65⅜	66
Dec	72⅜	73½	72⅜	73
CORN—				
July	....	....	....	39
Aug	39	39¼	38⅞	38⅞
Sep	39½	40⅛	39½	39¾
Dec	38⅝	38⅞	38½	38½
May	39⅞	39⅞	39½	39⅞
OATS—				
July	....	....	....	26
Aug	24	24¼	23⅞	24
Sept	24	24½	23⅞	24
May	28⅝	29⅜B	28⅝	28¾
PORK—				
July	....	....	....	19 25
Sep	20 15	20 50	19 75	19 75
Oct	.....	.....	.....	14 00
LARD—				
July	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sep	10 00	10 00	9 95	9 95
Oct	9 05	9 05	8 95	8 95
Jan	.....	.....	.....	8 15
RIBS—				
July	....		....	7 80
Sep	....	8 07	8 00	7 95
Oct	8 15	....		8 00

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS.

Wheat, all grades, 126, Contract, 28.
Corn, all grades, 395, Contract, 198.
Oats, all grades, 125; Contract, 40.

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS.

Hogs 24,000; 10c lower $5 75@6 10.
Cattle 16,000, Easier.

Puts on Sept wheat	65
Calls " " "	65⅞
Puts " Sept corn	39⅞
Calls " " "	40⅛

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.

Wheat, 140; Corn, 380, Oats, 173.
Hogs 22,000.

LOGAN LETTER.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 26, 1893.

September wheat opened at 66¼, sold as high as 66⅜, the closing price is 66. Until the financial atmosphere clears it is useless to give an opinion. Wheat is low and we believe should sell higher. Demand for corn for shipment continues good and September closed at 39¾. The business in oats was light. September closed at 24. The provision market was quiet.

BASEBALL.

National League and American Association Clubs.

The following games were played yesterday:

AT ST LOUIS

St Louis . 1 0 4 1 0 2 0 1 0—9
Chicagos . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 6—7

Batteries—Clarkson and Gunson McGill and Kittridge

AT BOSTON

Bostons 4 0 0 3 0 1 0 3 2—13
Washingtons 3 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 1—6

Batteries—Stivetts and Ganzel, Esper and Farrell.

AT NEW YORK.

New Yorks 3 4 0 1 1 0 0 0 0—9
Baltimores .. 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1—3

Batteries—Rusie and Milligan, Hawke, McNabb and Clarke

AT PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphias , 0 0 4 0 3 2 0 5 2—16
Brooklyns. 2 1 0 2 0 0 2 0 0—7

Batteries—Weyhing and Clements, Stein and Kinslow

AT CINCINNATI.

Cincinnatis 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—3
Clevelands 1 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0—3

Batteries—Sullivan and Murphy. Young and O'Connor

AT LOUISVILLE.

Pittsburghs. . 0 0 3 1 1 0 5 0 *—10
Louisvilles 0 0 1 0 1 0 2 0 0—4

Batteries—Gumbert and Sugden Rhodes and Clarke and Grim.

Games Scheduled for To-Day.

Baltimores at New York
Brooklyns at Philadelphia.
Washingtons at Boston.
Chicagos at St Louis
Clevelands at Cincinnati.
Pittsburghs at Louisville.

Southern League Games

At Mobile—Memphis, 4, Mobiles, 2
At Augusta—Chattanoogas, 5, Augustas, 2
At Charleston—Savannahs, 6, Charlestons, 1
At Montgomery—Montgomerys, Nashvilles, 2
At New Orleans—New Orleans, 4, Birminghams, 1.
At Macon—Macons, 6, Atlantas, 1.

La Grippe.

During the prevalence of the Grippe the past seasons it was a noticeable fact that those who depended upon Dr. King's New Discovery, not only had a speedy recovery, but escaped all of the troublesome after effects of the malady. This remedy seems to have a peculiar power in effecting rapid cures not only in cases of La Grippe, but in all Diseases of Throat, Chest and Lungs, and has cured cases of Asthma and Hay Fever of long standing. Try it and be convinced. It won't disappoint. *Free Trial Bottles at King & Wood's Drug Store.* fm

If You Fail

to secure some of the bargains we are offering in our clearance sale, you will regret it all your life.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW

IT IS A DUTY you owe yourself and family to get the best value for your money. Economize in your footwear by purchasing W. L. Douglas Shoes, which represent the best value for prices asked, as thousands will testify.

$5.00 $3.00
$4.00
$3.50
$2.50
$2.25
$2.00
FOR GENTLEMEN

W. L. DO

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THE BEST SHOE IN THE [illegible] OTHER SPECIALTIES [illegible] the same high grade, and [illegible] far beyond the prices charged [illegible] price are stamped on bottom of [illegible] TAKE NO SUB[illegible]
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JOHN HECKER, 134 East [illegible]
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